

# GENERAL FUNSTON DIES SUDDENLY

## OFFICER COLLAPSES WHILE SEATED IN HOTEL LOBBY

### ATTACK OF ACUTE INDIGESTION COMES SHORTLY AFTER DINNER

Commander of Southern Department of Army Suffered Attack Two Weeks Ago But Had Been Entirely Well For Three Days—Gained Rank of Major General For Work at Vera Cruz—Had Remarkable Career

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 19.—General Frederick Funston, commander of the Southern Department United States army since February, 1915, died suddenly at a hotel here tonight a few minutes after he had finished dinner. He collapsed while seated in the lobby of the hotel talking with friends and was playing with Little Inez Silverberg, of Des Moines, Iowa, a guest with her parents at the hotel, when he fell unconscious.

**Death Almost Instantaneous.**  
Death was almost instantaneous. General Funston was 51 years old. Since March, 1916, when he was placed in command of all United States forces on the Mexican border, General Funston had worked at an unusual pace. At critical times in border developments he frequently remained on duty twenty-four hours of the day. The handling of regulars disposed of at various stations on the border, the Pershing expedition and of late, re-arrangement of regular troops while providing for the return of national guardsmen have entailed an enormous amount of work, probably exceeding that which fell to any general of the United States army since the Civil war. Only today General Funston completed orders for the return of the last of the guardsmen.

Two weeks ago General Funston suffered an attack of indigestion. To use his own expression, "I fought it out alone."  
**Regained Normal Health and Spirits.**  
Later he placed himself under the care of Lieut. Col. M. W. Ireland of the medical corps, southern department, and regained normal health and spirits.  
"For three days," Colonel Ireland said tonight, "General Funston had been entirely well."  
Nevertheless at dinner tonight General Funston was particularly abstemious and ate sparingly of the simplest dishes. Colonel Malvern-Hill Barnum, General Funston's chief of staff immediately notified the war department of General Funston's death. News also was despatched to Mrs. Funston who is visiting her father in California. No arrangements for General Funston's funeral have been made.

The body was taken to a local undertaking establishment.

**Comes as Shock to Officials.**  
Washington, Feb. 19.—Major General Funston's sudden death came as a great shock to high officials of the army and to President Wilson. He was one of the distinguished commanders of the service and one of whom greater things were expected in the future. The youngest major general of the line, vigorous and apparently healthful he had been counted on by his superiors for many more years of active service. The news reached the war department late tonight in a brief despatch from the headquarters of the Southern Department saying that General Funston had died of heart failure. It was telephoned to Secretary Baker's home where a dinner was being given to the president with most of the ranking army officers in Washington among the guests.

**Secretary Baker's Statement.**  
Secretary Baker made this statement:

"General Funston's death is a loss to the army and a loss to the country. During the trouble on the Mexican border his work has been difficult, exacting and delicate. His conduct has been that of a soldier and he has exemplified the high tradition of the American army by his quick, intelligent and effective action. Throughout all the sympathy department has been complete and no shadow of disagreement has arisen.

"I am deeply grieved personally at his death and feel that his loss to the country is very great."  
Major General Pershing who has been in command of the El Paso district since the withdrawal of the American expedition from Mexico, automatically succeeded to the duties of commander of the Southern Department until an appointment has been made. As immediate successor to the command, General Pershing will have charge of many details of movement of many remaining units of national guards ordered from the border last Saturday. It is expected here that this movement, plans for which were worked out by General Funston as virtually his last military duty, will go forward without interruption.

**Performed Many Services.**  
The picturesque and dashy career of General Funston was marked by many services to the country.

### JURY PRESUMES KRUCKER KILLED WIFE

Coroner's Jury Returns Verdict—Man Who is Recovering From Self-Inflicted Wound Refuses To Talk

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 19.—A coroner's jury here today returned a verdict that Mrs. Dagnar Krucker had been killed presumably by John E. Krucker, her divorced husband, who is at a hospital here today, recovering from a bullet wound self-inflicted yesterday after he had shot his former wife. Mr. Krucker refused again tonight to make a statement.

The name of Oscar McDaniel, former prosecuting attorney, was brought into the case at the inquest thru the testimony of Mrs. Gertrude Summer sister-in-law of Mrs. Krucker. She denied on the stand that Mrs. Krucker secretly had murdered her wife. A bill to authorize the treasury to issue gold certificates in large denominations so as to avoid handling the same aggregate value in smaller denominations was passed. It authorizes the secretary of the treasury to issue such certificates in denominations of \$10,000 and if requested by federal reserve authorities to issue them in denominations of \$100,000.

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### BAKER SENDS LETTER OF THANKS TO GERARD

Expresses Appreciation for Valuable Service Men Rendered on Border

Washington, Feb. 19.—Secretary Baker sent a letter of thanks today to the commanders of all national guard units which saw service on the Mexican border.  
"I wish to thank you and the officers and men of your organization who went to the border in response to the call of the president," wrote the secretary, "for the valuable service which you have rendered to the country. When the national guard was called into the service of the federal government the lives of men, women and children along the frontier were in grave danger owing to the formidable bandit raids from the Mexican side of the boundary. It is not too much to say that had these raids continued there was danger of international war. From the time of the arrival of the units the raids ceased and the tension between the two countries began to relax.

### FAVOR REVISION OF STATE LAWS

TRENTON N. J., Feb. 19.—A complete revision of the laws of the state relating to corporations is favored in a report submitted to the legislature tonight by a special commission of three senators and three assemblymen appointed a year ago. A bill of one hundred and seventy sections is submitted to take the place of existing corporation laws and repeal is recommended of six of the seven laws passed in 1913 at the instance of President Wilson, then governor of New Jersey, and known as the "seven sisters."

### GOVERNOR OF NEW MEXICO DIES

Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 19.—New Mexico today mourned Governor Ezequiel Cabeza De Baca, who died late yesterday. Flags hang at half-mast on state buildings and offices of most state officials were closed.

### FALLING WALLS KILL THREE

Quebec, Feb. 19.—Falling walls of buildings wrecked by flames crushed three firemen to death and badly injured five others today. The fire was Quebec's seventh serious one within a month and a searching inquiry is under way. Six business houses were destroyed.

### DEMOCRATS PLAN NIGHT SESSIONS OF THE HOUSE

Army Bill Will Be Up All Day Today and Tonight

Military Academy Bill Will Follow and the Big Supply Civil Bill will be the Next of the Supply Measures to be Considered

Washington, Feb. 19.—Night sessions of the house beginning tomorrow were planned by the Democratic leaders in order to get thru necessary legislation before the 64th congress expires a week from Saturday.

The army appropriation bill will be up all day tomorrow and tomorrow night, according to present plans. The military academy appropriation bill will follow the army bill and the big supply civil bill reported today will be the next of the annual supply measures to be considered.

The fight over prohibition measures, including the senate amendment to the post-office appropriation bill and the senate bill for prohibition in the District of Columbia is expected to come up at any time.

The Randall bill to exclude alcoholic liquor advertising from the United States mails were stricken from the calendar today on objection without discussion.

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### WILSON INTENDS TO SUPPORT MENOCAL

American Minister Delivers Note at Presidential Palace

NOTE WARNS REBELS

Leaders of Revolt To Be Held Responsible For Damage to Foreigners' Property

REPORTS INCREASE HOPE

HAVANA, Feb. 19.—The outstanding feature of today's developments in the revolutionary movement in Cuba was a note delivered at the presidential palace this forenoon by William E. Gonzales, the American minister, in which President Wilson unqualifiedly declared his intention of supporting the legally constituted government of Menocal, and of holding the rebel leaders responsible for injury to persons or property of foreigners.

The note fell like a bomb among the sympathizers with the revolt and was a source of great jubilation and satisfaction by government officials and their supporters. The revolution in Cuba does not seem to have frightened tourists away from Cuba, four hundred persons classed as such having arrived in this port from New York, New Orleans and points in Florida.

**Appreciate Proof of Friendship.**  
The Cuban government replying to the recent note of the United States government warning Cubans not to throw their republic into civil war says Cuba and the Cuban people appreciate its conclusive proof of the friendship of the United States and its interest in Cuba's present and future welfare, its declarations being of the greatest importance for the cause of order.

Cuba and all America, the note says, will realize once more the value of the friendship of the United States and the immense value of living under the shadow of its Republican institutions. It adds that the American note should be a lesson to those who are disturbing the serenity of those great institutions.

**Increase Hopes of Officials.**  
Washington, Feb. 19.—Reports of progress by President Menocal's forces against insurgent bands in Cuba increased the hopes of administration officials today that peace may be re-established in the island without American intervention. It has been made plain that the full moral support of the United States government will be given the Menocal administration.

Orestes Ferrara and Raimundo Cabrera, spokesmen for the liberal party, are here to represent the rebels before the state department. It was said at Secretary Lansing's office that no effort had been made by them so far to see anyone connected with the government.

An agreement between the American commander at Santiago and the rebel governor to keep out of the harbor all but foreign vessels was expected as an expedient designed to prevent the closing of the port. The rebel governor agreed not to mine the channel in return for the naval commander's promise to see that Cuban boats do not enter.

The rebels appeared to have made no marked progress according to today's official reports. The suggestion that a state department commission be sent to Cuba to review the election returns still is under consideration.

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### COMMISSION DELAYS DECISION ON PROPOSAL

Will Wait Until Other Print Paper Makers are Heard

General Belief is That Most of Manufacturers Will Support Suggestion Regarding Price Fixing and that Commission Will Approve It

Washington, Feb. 19.—The federal trade commission will withhold its decision on the proposal by a large group of American and Canadian newspaper paper makers that the commission fix prices for their product, until other manufacturers are heard. There is a general belief however, that most of the manufacturers will support the suggestion and that the trade commission will approve it.

It was learned today that manufacturers who did not join in the proposal have been requested by the commission to come here Friday to present their views. If the proposal is accepted the commission immediately will take up the question of cost of production on a basis for prices and at the same time probably will call hearings at which both the manufacturers and publishers may present their ideas concerning reasonable charges.

The commission is as anxious to avoid setting prices that will force manufacturers and publishers may avoid profit as it is to see that publishers do not pay exorbitant charges.

Registration as a means of conserving the country's wood pulp supply was discussed at a luncheon given here today by Frederick W. Kellogg, publisher of the San Francisco Call, to government officials, newspaper makers and newspaper publishers.

Planting of fast growing trees on cut over forest land was held out as the only hope of a paper pulp supply for the future.

### WILSON URGES ACTION ON COLOMBIAN TREATY

Executive Sends Letter to Senator Stone of the Foreign Relations Committee

Washington, Feb. 19.—President Wilson has sent a letter to Senator Stone of the senate foreign relations committee urging action during this session of congress on the treaty to indemnify Colombia for the separation of Panama. It has been indicated recently that there would be no action on the Colombian treaty during this session but the president is anxious that it be ratified so as to clear away one of the potent sources of friction in Panama relations.

The president is said to have pointed out that in the event of hostilities between the United States and a foreign power it would be unfortunate if any misunderstanding existed with any country in this hemisphere.

Opposition to the treaty has been so vigorous in the senate that it has been impossible even to get it up for discussion notwithstanding that the committee recommended it at the last session to reduce the indemnity to be paid Colombia for the partition of Panama from \$25,000,000 to \$15,000,000.

### UNABLE TO AGREE ON REQUIREMENTS

Ryan to Ask Appointment of Subcommittee to Draft Bill Without Further Consultation With Bankers

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Altho recognizing the existence of minority opposition in both houses to a resolution which would give the president authority to deal with any emergency that might arise after adjournment, administration leaders are satisfied that if such power is sought it will be given.

Demands that some way be found for relieving the congestion at Atlantic ports resulting from the holding of American and other neutral ships in ports are pouring in at the White House and executive departments. It is freely admitted that at what the president deems the proper time the United States must assert itself.

**To Release Prisoners.**  
Word came from the Spanish minister at Berlin today that the American prisoners of the prize ship Yarrowdale would be released shortly. The United States will insist that the men be given their freedom in some neutral country from which they may make their way home.

Those in charge of the work of preparing the nation for possible hostilities, which has gone steadily forward day and night since the severance of diplomatic relations, believe it now has reached the stage where the country's resources can be marshalled quickly for the public service in the need comes.

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The death of General Funston Monday night came as a great shock to his many admirers throughout the United States. Gen. Funston was a man of light weight physically and of small stature, but he was every inch a man, and his record has been conspicuous for bravery. A military life in the United States in recent decades has not often been picturesque but Gen. Funston, thru his connection with the war with Spain, the trouble in the Philippines, his command in San Francisco following the earthquake, and more recently his work in the trying situation on the Mexican border, was much in the public eye.

So in the mind of young America especially, General Funston became a popular hero and as a man and a soldier he has well deserved the high place that he has come to have in the hearts of the people. No doubt the worry and strain of the long Mexican campaign had much to do with shortening his life.

### SELF DENIAL

There are indications that Lent will be more strictly observed this year than usual. Some ministers are pointing out the advantage this year of Lent observance as a means of economy and this method of reducing high living costs has a good chance of securing many followers. Self-denial is a mighty good thing in itself and especially so when the self-denial is also a benefit to one's family.

### BAD FOR OHIO HUSBANDS.

The Ohio industrial commission faces a serious problem in having to decide whether a woman who killed her husband accidentally is entitled to compensation under the state law. This remarkable situation arises from the fact that the woman in question shot her husband while he was at work at an electrical railway sub-station. Now the woman has filed a claim maintaining that since her husband was killed "in the course of his employment" that there is no question as to the liability. If the commission rules in favor of the woman in question the lives of a good many Ohio husbands are likely to be endangered.

In Chicago it seems impossible to convict women who kill their husbands and if in Ohio they add a reward for those who are "accidentally" shot—well, look out for a series of "accidents."

### SPLENDID PATRIOTISM

A suggestion of what would happen in the United States in case of war with Germany is found in the instance of Gen. Von Ludendorff, the first quartermaster general. The power of this man is second only to that of Field Marshal Von Hindenburg, as he has oversight of food distribution, manufacturing industries, agriculture and in large degree Germany's foreign relations.

It is a splendid evidence of American patriotism that in a Republican form of government it has not been necessary for the crisis to come or for the passage of any law, until the great business interests of the country have signified their willingness to turn over their property to the control of the government if the need be. The presidents of eighteen or twenty railroads have given this assurance to the government and representatives of automobile and munitions plants have hastened to make their offer. Nearly all of these assurances have come thru the federal council for defense. The Unit-

ed States has no great army and is not prepared for war in a certain sense, but the great resources of the richest country in the world have already been placed in promise upon the country's altar.

### LEGISLATION IMPORTANT CONSIDERATION

Thus far Republican members of congress do not seem to have been able to fully agree in the matter of a speakership and floor leader. There seems to be some growing sentiment against Mr. Mann, who is logically the Republican candidate for speaker. Some recent utterances of Mr. Mann on international questions have caused this feeling. Then, too, there are some differences unsettled between the standpat and Progressive members of the house. At this time it certainly behooves the leaders to get together and arrange some compromise plan whereby a speaker and the floor leader generally satisfactory can be chosen.

The thing of underlying importance, however, is that until speaker and floor leader have been agreed upon it will be practically impossible to outline a constructive legislative program. Because of big questions at hand that are pressing and the possibility of still greater questions abroad, it is the legislative program that is of the highest interest to the rest of the people.

### EASY TO MAKE CHARGES.

The larger newspapers of the country are joining in the declaration that they will welcome investigation of the charges made by Congressmen Calloway that many of the influential papers of the country are subsidized and that they are under the absolute control of Wall street interests. Other charges have been made in recent months that the great American newspapers have been subsidized by the British government. It is easy enough to make charges of this kind and some of the congressmen, because of grudges they hold against certain newspapers, delight in such a course. But when it comes to the proof, that is another matter.

About the best evidence that the leading papers of the country have not been subsidized and the editorial policy purchased at big figures is found in the united fight they have been making on the paper manufacturers in an effort to secure lower prices. If they were making big easy money from the sources suggested the newspaper publishers would not be so much worried about the expenses of operation.

### MURRAYVILLE

James Rea and son Henry and daughter Bessie spent from Friday evening until Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. John Akers and family at Manchester.

Miss Irma Brown of Jacksonville visited with relatives here Saturday evening and Sunday.

Miss Blanche McCollom of Jacksonville was the guest of Miss Ma Linda McCarty Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blakeman were entertained at dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Phillips.

Miss Lucille Short spent Saturday night and Sunday with friends in Jacksonville.

Layton McGhee of Jacksonville Sunday with home folks here.

Mrs. Clyde Moffet of Springfield visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Boruff Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mae Cady of Woodson visited Saturday and Sunday with Miss Ma Linda McCarty. They were joined on Sunday by Miss Floreca Short.

Mrs. Margaret Hanback spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives at Pearl.

Those attending the funeral of M. V. Wray at Jacksonville Saturday were John Boruff, A. M. Kennedy, and son George; Mrs. Margaret Hanback, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Wright, James K. Cunningham and Miss Mildred Wright.

George Mason and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Mason's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sooy.

Mrs. Mary Gunn, Mrs. Edith Millard, Mrs. Lola Seymour and Mrs. Alma McLamar attended the annual roll call of Caritas lodge number 623 at Jacksonville Thursday night.

Robert Osborne and friend, Miss Jessie Lovell spent Sunday with Cal Hart and family of the Zion neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Whitney and Miss Edna Mason of Jacksonville spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rimby and daughters Alice and Eleanor spent Saturday and Sunday with Clarence Adams and family at Alsey.

Tuesday evening Feb. 20 will be the annual roll call of the Rebekah lodge to which all members are requested to be present and visitors are welcome.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. A. H. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanback who have been visiting relatives at Pearl for some time returned home Saturday evening, and left the first of the week for Bloomington, where he has employment.

Warren Wright who has been taking a course in undertaking and embalming at Chicago, has finished the course and returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas McLamar is visiting her daughter Mrs. Lizzie Clausen and family at Scottville this week.

John Reece of Providence, Texas, was called here last week by the death of his mother, Mrs. Susan Reece.

William Dobson of Jacksonville spent Sunday with his mother Mrs. Martha Dobson.

### DIES OF SELF-INFLICTED INJURIES.

Burlington, Ia., Feb. 19.—Olaf Swanson aged 74 years died this morning from self inflicted wounds. He slashed his throat with a pocket knife Saturday while despondent over ill health.

### CABBAGES ADVANCE.

San Benito, Tex., Feb. 19.—Cabbages have advanced here to \$125 a ton, this mark breaking all previous records in the lower Rio Grande Valley the result commission men say, of the recent freeze.

## SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE COMPLETES ORGANIZATION

New Body for United Charity Administration Elects Officers and Makes Plans for Future Relief Work.

Directors of the Social Service league, the new organization for the systematizing of charity and relief work in Jacksonville, met at the public library Monday evening in the first regular session, elected officers and laid plans for the work of coming months. A constitution was adopted. Officers of the league are: President—Miller Weir.

Vice President—Supt. H. A. Perrin.

Secretary—Mrs. M. H. Havenhill.

Treasurer—A. C. Rice. Directors of the league are: A. C. Rice, L. O. Vaught, J. Edgar Martin, Miller Weir, W. A. Jenkinson, W. F. Widmayer, A. B. Williamson, F. J. Waddell, C. A. Johnson, E. W. Brown, H. K. Chenoweth, H. A. Perrin, Dr. Grace Dewey, Mrs. M. H. Havenhill, Mrs. George T. Douglas, Mrs. Paul Alexander, Mrs. E. P. Healy, Mrs. J. W. Brown, Miss Marion Fairbank, Dr. F. S. Hayden, Miss Mary Wadsworth and Mrs. Keith Montgomery.

A resolution was passed to maintain Miss Weir as superintendent until such a time as the league may think it wise to name her successor. A change at this time, before the plans of the league are fully formulated, was not thought desirable.

The object of the league, as stated in the constitution is: "To bring into harmonious working all the charitable efforts of the community; to promote a cordial and practical co-operation between the city and the county authorities, benevolent societies, churches and individuals, for the purpose of positive, constructive relief and for the purpose of preventing the over-lapping caused by simultaneous, injudicious and independent action. A second object is stated as: "The collection and diffusion of knowledge on all subjects connected with the administration of organized social service."

In the article on "Methods" it is provided that there shall be maintained such a system of visiting and inquiry as shall insure a thorough acquaintance with each person to whom assistance is being given and a knowledge of the environments and conditions under which he lives" as well as "a careful system of registration that shall make the results of these inquiries, the recommendations for relief and the aid given, matters of complete record."

The constitution provides for "A board of directors of twenty-four members, one-third to be elected each year at the annual meeting of the league, to serve for three years. Amendments may be made by a vote of two-thirds of the members present at any regular or special meeting of the league."

### ASSEMBLY TO MEET TWICE THIS WEEK

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 19.—With sessions of the Illinois Legislature scheduled for only Tuesday and Wednesday of this week neither the constitutional convention nor statewide prohibition referendum bills is to be brought to final test in the lower house until the assembly reconvenes on Wednesday, Feb. 28. After a brief session of the house tonight, Speaker Shanahan said only routine legislation was to be taken up until after the Washington birthday holiday recess.

### ORDER FLAG LOWERED

London, Feb. 19.—A Reuter's despatch from Amsterdam says it is denied in a telegram from Berlin that the German authorities at Brussels ordered Brand Whitlock, the American minister to lower the American flag over his legation.

### IOWA PUBLISHER DIES

Davenport, Ia., Feb. 19.—J. J. Richardson, fifty years old, publisher of the Davenport Democrat and one of the oldest newspapermen in Iowa, died tonight following an operation.

## Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

### THINKING OF SPRING.

How glad I'll be to hear once more the south wind pawing at the door! I'll surely welcome it with smiles, that good old wind from spicy isles, that makes the brown old world turn green and look as gay as sweet sixteen. If wintry blasts would cease and shriek each year for something like a week—if that's too much, a few days less—the winter'd be a great success. Alas, it comes and stays too long! Too long it stills the catbirds' sing; too long it keeps the elm tree bare, their naked branches in the air; too long it puts the lid on grass, geraniums and garden sass. And I'll be glad to hear once more the warm rains splashing at the door the rain that breaks old winter's grip and bids him from these realms to skip, the rain that ends long months of woe, and makes the blessed green things grow. So come, south wind, from sunny seas, and bring the leaves back to the trees. And come, warm rain, and wash away, all traces of the winter day.

### THIS DATE IN HISTORY

February 19, 1824—Eliphalet Green was executed in Vandalla for the murder of William Wright. Prisoner was attended to the place of execution by the Rev. John M. Peck, whom he (the prisoner) had requested to preach on the occasion. The Rev. Peck preached from Ecclesiastes, chapter IX, verse XII.

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### SOCIAL EVENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzpatrick  
Entertain at New Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Fitzpatrick entertained a number of their neighbors and friends Friday evening at their new home south of the city. Dancing was the chief diversion of the evening and delicious refreshment were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mandeville and family; Mr. and Mrs. James Fitzpatrick and family, of Lynville; Mr. and Mrs. John Murray and family, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Walsh and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Tarzwell, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schumaker, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Watt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quinn, Misses Marie Bussey, Tessie Stufte, Loretta Farrell, Clara Begnel, Marie Begnel, Marie Riley, Della Flynn, Stella Doolin, Florence Doolin, Mayne Murray, Mary Murphy, Messrs. Gene Murphy, Timothy Murphy, George Hobbs, Henry Doolin, William, Thomas, Francis and Michael McGrath, Louis, Gene and Thomas Begnel; Edward, Riley William, Leo, Jerry and Charles Flynn; John Shanahan, Leo Lockman, Clarence and Thomas O'Connell; Thomas Coyne, George Lewis, Thomas Cosgriff, Ambrose Carrigan, William Casey and Dominic Casey.

Surprise Party for  
Mr. and Mrs. Mandeville.

A surprise party was given Monday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mandeville of Woodson, the occasion being the thirtieth anniversary of their wedding. A number of beautiful gifts were received by the guests of honor and the event was an enjoyable one for all those present. Music and cards were a part of the evening's entertainment, and an excellent luncheon was served. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. John Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lonergan, Mr. and Mrs. Con Lonergan, Mr. and Mrs. James Lonergan, Mr. and Mrs. William Tarzwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Omeara and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hobbs, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Fitzpatrick and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Begnel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Flynn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Murphy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCabe, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coyne, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Connell, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mandeville, Mr. and Mrs. John Murray and family, Mrs. Julia Mandeville, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schumaker, Mr. and Mrs. John Casey and family, Mrs. George Coyne, Mrs. Merriman, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Doolin, Patrick Woulfe, Misses Marie Bussey, Tessie Stufte, Marie Riley, Messrs. Edward Riley, Thomas Coyne, John Whalen, John Shanahan and Maurice Walsh.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. William Foster, living north of Alexander entertained a number of friends at dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Killam, who are soon to move from the Dunlap farm to that of Mr. Clark west of Jacksonville. A five course dinner was served and greatly enjoyed. The company remained for an evening of music. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Killam are hoping for their success in their new location.

Stuart Pierson Robertson  
Celebrates 8th Birthday.

Mrs. John R. Robertson, 1203 West State street, was hostess at a charming children's party Monday afternoon from 4:30 until 7 o'clock, honoring the eighth birthday of her son, Stuart Pierson Robertson. The hours were spent with games and a delightful dinner was served. The

guests were William Wilson, Jr., Harry Capps, Jr., Troy A. Chapin, Jr., Preston Smith, Thompson Brady, David Lander, John Hamilton Russell, William Walton, Jr., Abe Weir, Jr., Edward Landis, Alexander Russell, Farrell Crabtree, James Vosseller, Jr., James Merrill, Jr., William Capps, Jr., John Robert Robertson, Catherine Goebel, Elizabeth Black, Rhoda Rammelkamp, Ruth Roberts, Mary Margaret Brady, Catherine Mary Kamm, Joyce Landor, Louise Jenkinson, Ursula Brockhouse and Eleanor Mary Ames.

Miss Grace Turley  
Will Wed Wednesday.  
Miss Grace Turley, 315 West 20th street, will leave this morning for Detroit, Mich., and Wednesday will become the bride of Mr. Robert H. Headen of that city. In honor of the event friends of Miss Turley assembled at her home Monday evening and brought a number of handsome linen gifts. Prizes in the games and contests were won by Misses Emma Swanson and Florence Bourn.

Those present were Misses Emma and Ruth Swanson, Misses Florence Bourn, Maude Brown, Georgie Melton, Ruth Peters, Elsie Osterholt, Golda Elliott, Della Thomas, Mabel Jordan, Nora, Florence and Ruth Jordan, Mrs. J. H. Butler, Mrs. Mae Black, Misses Laura and Elizabeth Loggett, Mrs. J. B. Jordan, Mrs. D. Elliott, Mrs. J. Thomas, Mrs. L. Turley, Misses Blanche, Grace and Lee Turley.

### Last Dance of Season

at K. of C. Hall.  
The last dance before Lent was enjoyed by more than sixty couples Monday night at Knights of Columbus hall. There were a number of guests present from out of the city. On the committee were Paul Lonergan, Carl Bergschneider, Tom Duffner, Francis Sloan and Frank Murphy.

### Observed 57th Birthday Anniversary.

The fifty-seventh birthday anniversary of Henry S. Rayborn was the occasion of two pleasant gatherings Sunday and the day proved most enjoyable for the many guests present. Dinner was served at noon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rayborn, 851 Grove street. After a social afternoon the company went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowen and the birthday supper served there was well prepared and prettily served. Several handsome gifts were received by the guest of honor.

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## CITY AND COUNTY

C. S. Wolf of Peoria spent Monday in the city on business.

Crit Haineline was a Monday business visitor in the city.

V. I. Hawks of Palmyra, Ind., is spending a few days in the city on business.

W. C. Hayes of Belvidere was a Monday business visitor in the city.

Miss Rose Dixon of Peoria was a Sunday visitor in the city.

**Finnan Haddie at Weber's.**

W. W. Hunniwell of Quincy spent Monday in the city on business.

Frank Ryan of Alexander was a visitor with city friends Sunday.

Miss Irene Oxley of Dublin was a shopper in the city Monday.

Miss Helen Small of Golconda was a visitor in the city Monday.

James Sloan has gone to Pisgah for a visit of a few days.

Scott Davenport of Alexander spent part of Sunday in the city.

N. J. Arthur of Alton was among the city visitors yesterday.

Benjamin Cully of Joy Prairie neighborhood was a visitor a few hours in the city yesterday.

James Philmond of Virginia made the city a visit on business matters yesterday.

M. S. Kavin and Earl Smith of White Hall were visiting friends in the city Sunday.

W. W. Rice of Greenview was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

E. T. Guthrie of Mattoon attended to business matters in the city yesterday.

C. H. Grimes and T. G. Grogan were down from Springfield Monday looking after business matters.

**Smoked White Fish at Weber's.**

Irah E. Moore of Griggsville was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Maude Hulse of Golden was visiting friends in the city yesterday.

H. M. Lewring of Petersburg was called to the city on business yesterday.

R. P. Smith of Springfield transacted business in the city yesterday.

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Mrs. Bluford Violet and daughter Mary were over to the city from Beardstown yesterday.

Miss Enid Beattall has been added to the force of clerks at the dry goods store of the Floreth Co. Luther Crawford was a representative of Pisgah precinct in the city yesterday.

H. E. Bell, editor of the Register at White Hall was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Henry Anderson of Meredosia was one of the arrivals in the city yesterday.

John Carter of Cass county was transacting business a few hours in the city yesterday.

Solomon Newman of Saidorus was among the various callers in the city yesterday.

Miss Marie Drawers of Chandlerville was one of the shoppers with city merchants yesterday.

Roger Dyer of Murrayville journeyed to the city on business yesterday.

Charles Regall of the vicinity of Merritt was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Thomas Butler of the vicinity of Woodson was among the callers in the city yesterday.

Henry Knudson of Greenfield was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Miss Ezra Vaughan made a shopping trip from Chandlerville to the city yesterday.

George Wiedler of Sinclair was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

John Miltendorf of the east part of the county was among the business men of the city yesterday.

Ernest Dyer of Murrayville was added to the list of transient guests in the city yesterday.

Miss Frances Holler of Murrayville was shopping in the city Monday.

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Charles Lucht of Nebo spent Sunday visiting his mother and sisters of this city.

W. S. Quigley of Edinburg, Ill., was a visitor yesterday with some of his Jacksonville friends.

W. H. Steele of Woodson precinct visited with some of his city friends Sunday.

Carl Zimmerman of Milton was among those who spent Sunday in the city.

S. W. Robinson of Alton was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

J. F. Brockhouse of Meredosia had business attracting him to the city yesterday.

W. L. Houser of Concord spent part of Sunday with some of his city friends.

John Wylder of Greenfield was among the various arrivals in the city yesterday.

**Yes, those are new ties at 35c at TOMLINSON'S.**

Henry Knoepfer of New Berlin made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Wolfe of Carthage were visitors with friends in the city yesterday.

D. E. Myers of Beardstown was among the shoppers with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

George Bolton helped represent Franklin a few hours in the city yesterday.

James W. Johnson of Arcadia precinct was a caller on city people yesterday.

John Naulty of the vicinity of Prentice was a caller on some city friends yesterday.

James Brockhouse of Meredosia was among the travelers to the city on business yesterday.

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C. C. Secor of Greenfield was looking after his interests in the city yesterday.

Frederick Reed of Franklin was transacting business a few hours in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton Streubel of Tallula were added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Henry Bersick residing on the Jacob Strawn farm was a caller on some city friends yesterday.

William Wilding who recently moved from Woodson precinct to the vicinity of Strawn's Crossing, made the city a business visit yesterday.

Miss Catharine McCarty of Alexander was numbered among the shoppers with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Arthur Anderson has returned to his home in Oswein, Iowa, after a visit with his mother who is an invalid at Passavant hospital.

Charles Lockman of the southwest part of the county had business needing attention in the city yesterday.

Mrs. E. J. Reid of Joy Prairie vicinity was in the city yesterday calling on her husband, a patient at Dr. Day's hospital.

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## WAR NEWS SUMMARIZED

On the Iraq front in Asiatic Turkey the British and Turks have been engaged in hard fighting at Sannayat about twelve miles north of Kut-el-Amara. The British captured front line Turkish positions at two places respectively on frontages of 350 and 540 yards.

The Turks however in two heavy counter attacks forced the British right wing back upon its original line. The left wing continued the struggle of attempting to hold back the Turks until near nightfall when it also fell back, covered by the barrage fire of the British guns. Besides this engagement no fighting of importance is reported in the latest official communications.

The operations on all fronts have again been carried out by small raiding parties, sappers and the artillery wings.

London reports that on the front in France the British carried out a successful raid east of Soissons while Berlin reports attempted British advances southwest of Meuse and north of Arras resulted in failure. The artillery duels between the French and Germans on several sectors of the Verdun front have again become quite severe.

On the line running from the Baltic Sea to Roumania there have been no developments anywhere. Tonic submarines continue their sinking of both entente allied and neutral vessels.

Monday's reports from London show that two more British steamers of an aggregate tonnage of 8,242 have been sent to the bottom.

The chancellor of the British exchequer has announced to the house of commons that the subscriptions to the new British war loan amount to at least 700,000,000 pounds sterling exclusive of contributions from banks.

## BILL RE-INTRODUCED

Boise, Idaho, Feb. 19.—An anti-alien land bill which was killed by the state senate Feb. 3, as the result of protests by the Japanese embassy to the state department at Washington was re-introduced in the senate late today.

## PUBLISHES DESPATCH FROM SAMUEL GOMPERS

Asked Head of German Unions to Use His Influence to Prevent a Break With United States.

London, Feb. 19.—The Voerwarta (Berlin) says a Copenhagen despatch publishes the cablegrams of Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, to President Legien of the German Federation of Trades Unions and the reply of President Legien in behalf of the German workmen.

Mr. Gompers cabled: "Can you bring influence to bear on your government so that a breach with the United States may be avoided."

President Legien replied: "Since the war broke out the German laboring classes have worked for peace and they are against every extension of the war. The refusal of the enemy to consider the sincere German peace offer the continuation of the dreadful war of starvation directed against our women and children and old people and the open confession of our enemies that their war aim is the annihilation of Germany—all that has caused a sharpened submarine war. Influence on our side of the government is only possible if America can persuade England to give up her war of starvation."

## MONDAY IN CONGRESS

Senate.  
Passed omnibus pensions bill.  
Passed miscellaneous relief and bridge bills.

Resumed debate on government espionage and anti-conspiracy bill. Senator Cummings proposing amendments. Senator Simmons gave notice of intention to call up the emergency revenue bill Tuesday.

Adjourned at 5:30 p. m., to 10:30 a. m., Tuesday.

House.  
Sundry civil appropriation bill reported carrying \$138,242,000.

Refused to consider Representative Moore's resolution for an investigation of reports that English money has subsidized twenty five American newspapers.

Rules committee appointed subcommittees to close "leak" inquiry work.

Considered unanimous consent calendar.

Adjourned at 7 p. m., to 11 a. m., Tuesday.

## CONCLUDE DEBATE ON ESPIONAGE BILL

Passage of Measure in Senate is Expected Today.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Debate on the administration bill to punish espionage violations of neutrality and conspiracy by agents or sympathizers was concluded tonight in the senate and its passage is expected tomorrow. A vote was taken tonight and a large majority of the 35 senators present favored the bill, but efforts to get a quorum failed.

Senator Cummings said the measure was the most stringent and drastic ever proposed to curb a free people in time of peace or war. He declared that under the bill the government would have absolute power in war time to suppress newspapers and prevent debate in congress and that it might even be held a criminal offense for two citizens to discuss with each other questions of military information or policy.

Senator Walsh insisted the Iowa senator misconstrued the language of the bill. He said under its terms debate would not be shut off in congress nor criticism of military operation by persons, but that the provision was intended to prevent the spreading of reports that might interfere with military operations by causing disaffections.

## ANNULS SPECIAL FREIGHT RATES

Mexico City, Feb.—The Constitutional railroads have announced that hereafter all special freight rates will be annulled and all shippers must pay the regular rate. The special rates were established years ago with the idea of aiding national industries and many shippers were permitted to transport raw and manufactured products within the republic at reduced rates. The announcement of the annulment of these rates declares the necessity for these special privileges no longer exists.

## JAPANESE WINS BRITISH MEDAL

London, Feb.—The British medal has been awarded to a Japanese, Private Harry Ohara, who has won the British uniform on the western front since the outbreak of the war, and who has seen so much hard fighting that he has seventy scars. He has been in hospital six times, the last time with twenty shrapnel wounds. Ohara entered the army with the Sikhs, being really taken for an Indian by the recruiting officer. Later he fought as a member of a Middlesex regiment, and now, having earned his discharge, he expects to enlist in the flying corps.

## HIGH PYTHIAN OFFICERS IN CITY MONDAY

Here to Attend District Convention of Order—Notable Banquet at Castle Hall—Grand Chancellor's Degree Conferred

More than two hundred Pythians sat down to the banquet in castle hall Monday evening. The banquet followed the district convention held in the afternoon and was the crowning event of a busy day.

The entire lodge room was used to arrange the tables and seats were available for 200. The banquet was served at 6:45 o'clock under the direction of C. J. Rataichak and A. R. Taylor assisted by a large committee. When the members had gathered at the tables Grand Chancellor Reeve called upon the Rev. Walter E. Spoons who invoked the divine blessing.

Following the banquet Mr. Reeve acted as toastmaster and called upon the following: Andrew J. O'Donnell, Chicago, Grand Inner Guard; Clifton Hatch of Decatur, superintendent of the Pythian home; Henry P. Caldwell of Chicago, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal; M. F. Dunlap, Jacksonville Grand Master of Exchequer; Walter Hayes, Belvidere, Grand Vice Chancellor; Rev. A. B. Morey and J. T. Bowen of Jacksonville, B. R. Vogel of Decatur district superintendent of Insurance Department; Al Douglas field deputy, district field deputy. While the guests were seated at the tables a flash light picture was taken by Otto Spith.

All of the speakers paid a tribute to Pythianism and the great work it is accomplishing and pledged themselves anew to work of the order. Clifton Hatch, superintendent of the Pythian home took occasion to extend an invitation to the two local lodges to run an excursion to Decatur at some future time to inspect the home.

## District Convention

The District convention was held in the hall Monday afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock. The lodge was opened by the following officers: Ralph I. Dunlap, Chancellor; Commander, Charles Howard, Vice Chancellor, James I. Graham, Keeper of Records and Seal, Grand lodge representatives, J. F. Claus and J. B. Seibert Master of Finance, Frank Bracewell, Grand Master at Arms, L. B. Turner, Inner Guard, H. C. White, Outer Guard, G. A. Wiseman, Master of Work, George H. Bundy, of Roodhouse.

All of the grand officers except S. L. Van Fossen, Grand relate of Beardstown were in attendance. Mr. Van Fossen is spending the winter in Florida for the benefit of his health. The following grand officers were present:

## Grand Officers and Representatives

Grand Chancellor—John J. Reeve.  
Grand Vice Chancellor—Walter C. Hayes, Belvidere.  
Grand Keeper of R. and S.—Henry P. Caldwell, Chicago.  
Grand Master at Arms—Edward T. Guthrie, Mattoon.  
Grand Master of Exchequer—M. F. Dunlap, Jacksonville.  
Grand Inner Guard—Andrew J. O'Donnell, Chicago.  
Grand Outer Guard—S. G. Whitlock, Tuscola.

The following representatives were present from the various lodges in the district:

A. J. Hall, Linton lodge No. 401, Waverly.  
G. W. Paul, Saladin lodge No. 48, Winchester.  
G. W. Leeper, Valley lodge No. 694, Chandlerville.  
B. F. Baldwin, Porter lodge No. 342, White Hall.  
George H. Bundy, Worcester lodge No. 113, Roodhouse.  
H. Knudson, Greenfield lodge No. 407, Greenfield.  
J. I. Graham, Jacksonville lodge No. 152, Jacksonville.  
L. B. Turner, Favorite lodge No. 376, Jacksonville.  
Irwin Scandrett, Harold lodge No. 102, Rockbridge.

## Degrees Conferred

The various representatives gave encouraging reports of their respective lodges and plans were talked of for campaign work during the winter and early spring months. The grand officers made talks to the members. Al Douglas field deputy exemplified the unwritten work of the order. The grand chancellor's degree was conferred by Grand Chancellor Reeve on 11 past chancellors.

The two local lodges had made splendid arrangements for the entertainment of the visitors and everything moved off without a hitch. Early Monday a committee composed of John S. Sheppard and Clarence B. Massey from 152 and A. R. Myrick and L. B. Turner from 376 made a round of the business district and every Pythian was given a carnation to wear during the day.

## TODAY THE D. O. K. CEREMONIAL

will be held in Castle hall. It is expected that a large number will be present from adjacent lodges and the tyros who journey across the burning sands will have new and novel sights to witness.

## ADDITIONAL GUARDSMEN WILL BE RETURNED

San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 19.—At the rate of approximately 6,000 men a week, the 50,000 National guardsmen on the border will be returned to their home stations to be mustered out.

The Southern department today designated dates for the first contingents to entrain. The 50,000 men were divided into two contingents and each contingent into four groups. Groups belonging to the first contingent of 25,000 men will be moved first.

The fourth Illinois infantry was designated to leave Feb. 23rd for Fort Sheridan, Ill.

WILLIAM M. KERR DIES.  
Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 19.—William M. Kerr, aged 70, a prominent local business man and formerly president of the Pittsburgh National league baseball club is dead at his home here following an illness of one week.

USE JOURNAL WANT ADS. THEY GET RESULTS.

## OFFICER COLLAPSES WHILE SEATED IN HOTEL LOBBY

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on an out of the way street in the lower east side of New York. Funston instructed recruits in the handling of machine guns of which the Cubans were ignorant. Soon afterward he was taken into the Cuban army with a commission.

Came To Prominence in 1896.  
Not until 1896, when the Cuban insurrection was at its height did Frederick Funston become known throughout the United States as a first-class fighting man, but his friends in Kansas—where he spent his early manhood—long had so classified him.

As a student at the University of Kansas, when he weighed less than 100 pounds, he conquered a 200 pound "badman" who threatened him with a razor. To add to the giant's humiliation, Funston marched him through the street of Lawrence, Kansas, at the point of a revolver, to a police station.

A few years later, while city editor of a paper in Fort Smith, Arkansas, young Funston stirred up intense feeling by attacking editorially the publication's own political party leaders during the absence of his editor-in-chief. Many threats are said to have been made against Funston and the newspaper property, but he remained on guard until his superior returned and then turned over the plant unharmed. Incidentally, Funston also resigned.

Along the Santa Fe railroad they still recall how Funston, as a passenger train conductor, threw a drunken cowboy off a train and later, when he hurled a rock through a coach window, pursued him several miles on foot while the train waited.

## On Firing Line in Cuba.

Funston's first experience on the firing line came in Cuba, where he commanded General Gomez's artillery with remarkable results. After engaging in twenty-two battles and being wounded three times, he resigned his command because fifty guerrillas who had aided the Spaniards were executed against his wishes. Captured by Spaniards on his way to Havana, he escaped death by swallowing a letter to the President of Cuba which would have proved his identity.

While a colonel of the famous Twentieth Kansas Volunteer Infantry in the Philippine War, Funston performed feats of bravery that brought him the title of brigadier general. His capture of Aguinaldo and his fording of the Rio Grande river at Culmiput under fire featured his work.

Funston has been described by his superiors as absolutely fearless. Ever ready to plunge into danger he cared little whether his force equalled that of his opponent. One day, the story goes, when it appeared certain the Filipinos would destroy three companies under Funston's command, General Harrison Gray Otis, inquired of the Colonel how long he could hold his position.

"Until I am mustered out!" Funston replied, and he made good by repulsing the Filipinos.

## Made Major-General in 1914.

When the volunteers were discharged, Funston retained his rank as a member of the regular army. As a regular he made a mark by maintaining order in San Francisco during the disaster of 1906. Temporarily in charge of the troops at the Presidio, when the disturbance came, he quickly declared martial law and about obtaining accommodations for the homeless, keeping order on the cost of food and arresting troublemakers. It was while he was in command of the troops at Vera Cruz in 1914 that he was raised to the rank of major-general. He then was 49 years old.

The ambition of Funston's youth was to go to West Point, but he failed in an entrance examination. In later years he repeatedly outranked West Pointers who were in school when he failed of admission.

Physically, Funston was one of the smallest men in the United States army. He was barely five feet and five inches tall and usually weighed less than 120 pounds. In civil life he was modest and retiring.

## Passed Over Six Times

When he won his rank of brigadier as a reward for his capture of Aguinaldo, his active service in the regular United States army began. He speedily reached the top of the list of brigadiers, but when there were vacancies in the list of major generals he was passed over no less than six times by Presidents Roosevelt and Taft.

When Vera Cruz was occupied Major General Wood, then chief of staff immediately selected Funston as the logical man for the field command. Every army officer expected there would be fighting of the hard guerrilla kind, learned in the Philippines, and everyone agreed that when Funston landed in Vera Cruz he "would start something."

But when Funston disembarked his troops and relieved the heavy possession of the city he learned that President Wilson's orders were that there was to be no aggressive movement, that the army was to watch and wait. The pressure on the little commander can only be realized by those who were with him in Vera Cruz in those crucial hours.

Thousands of Americans thronged the city with the most extreme stories of conditions in the interior and urged that the army move on; enthusiasm for "finishing the job" was high among the younger officers. The outposts were included, even fired upon. American troops were kidnapped by the Mexicans, one soldier was killed and burned, and camps were raided by marauders. Every provocation to spur a fighting man to action was given, but Funston never forgot his orders whatever his own emotions might have been. He held down the situation and President Wilson made him a major general.

Think Pershing Will Be Named.  
Besides Major General Scott, the chief of staff, there are now five major generals in the army, any one of whom might be assigned to the

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## command of the Southern Department.

General Barry at Chicago and General Bell at San Francisco already command departments. The other two are General Pershing and General Bliss who is at duty at the war department as assistant chief of staff. Army men thought it probable tonight that General Pershing would be given the command.

## General Scott was deeply affected by the news.

General Funston's unassuming ways endeared him to all with whom he was associated," he said, "and his military efficiency earned the confidence of the war department. His services at San Francisco at the time of the earthquake and at Vera Cruz will not soon be forgotten. Personally I feel the loss of a real friend."

## Mrs. Funston Prostrated

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 19.—Mrs. Frederick Funston who is living here with her three children at the Presidio, was informed tonight by Major General J. Franklin Bell, commanding the western division of the death of General Funston. She is prostrated with grief.

Mrs. Funston was entertaining her sister, Mrs. William O. Cullen, of this city at the Presidio residence when the news of the general's death was brought to her. The children are Frederick, Dorothy and an infant.

Mrs. Funston, who was Miss Eda Blankhart, came here a month ago from Fort Sam Houston with her children to avoid the approaching hot weather there.

## To Hold Funeral Saturday.

General Bell said late tonight after a conference with Mrs. Funston that General Funston would be buried in the National cemetery at the Presidio here Saturday. The body is expected to arrive Friday.

General Bell wired military headquarters tonight to forward the body immediately. An officer will accompany the remains.

## QUINCY FIRM INCORPORATES.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 19.—The following application for incorporation papers was filed today: The Ideal Family Laundry, Quincy; capital stock, \$5,000; incorporators Sarah F. Ryan, Mary Hegeman and William H. L. Ryan.

## RICKERS KNOCKS MURPHY OUT

Columbus, O., Feb. 19.—Joe Rickers of Los Angeles knocked out Frankie Murphy in Denver in second round of a scheduled 12 round fight here tonight.

## TO APPRAISE FIGHTING FORCES OF COUNTRY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Army and navy bureau chiefs have been instructed to compile immediately an exact appraisal of the condition of the regular fighting forces of the country for the information of President Wilson. From it the commander in chief will be able to form an exact idea of the state of the nation's defense.

The most immediate need in both the army and navy is for officers and men. Neither service has been able as yet to fill up to the authorized strength. Additional recruiting stations are being opened throughout the country and the navy department is getting into communication with retired officers and enlisted men as well as discharged men in recent years with a view to drawing them into active service should the need arise.

## WILL NOT RECOGNIZE TINOCO GOVERNMENT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Costa Rica's deposed president Alfred Gonzalez was assured by Secretary Lansing today that the United States would not recognize the government set up by General Tinoco, the former war minister who executed a bloodless coup several weeks ago that sent the president to the American legation for refuge.

Mr. Gonzalez expects to see President Wilson later. Secretary Lansing told him the United States did not record recognition to governments deriving their power thru revolt against constituted authorities, and that General Tinoco could not expect to obtain de jure recognition even by having himself elected.

## CONVENTION OPENS

Amarillo, Texas, Feb. 19.—Several hundred delegates to the second annual convention of the association of buyers and sellers of livestock which opens here tomorrow, began arriving tonight. Stockmen are expected from Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, Texas, Kansas, Oklahoma, Missouri, Illinois and Iowa.

## STUDENT DIES OF INJURIES

South Bend, Ind., Feb. 19.—Joseph E. Lodesky, a Notre Dame University freshman died at a hospital today as a result of injuries sustained in an inter-hall football game on Oct. 22. His home was in Waukegan, Ill.

## REPORT VILLA BAND LEAVES PALOMAS

COLUMBUS, N. M., Feb. 19.—Reports were brought to base headquarters late today that the Villa band occupying Palomas four miles below the boundary line from here had left moving westward. Nevertheless the people here are in a nervous state as the disappearance of Mexicans from the town is taken by them to mean that another raid at this point is contemplated. A number of women and children have been sent north of Deming.

## TROOPS REACH DES MOINES.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 19.—The ambulance corps, hospital corps and four troops of cavalry of the Iowa National Guard arrived here this evening and were temporarily quartered on board the cars which brought them from the border. They will not be taken to Fort Des Moines until tomorrow afternoon as the fort is now occupied by the third infantry.

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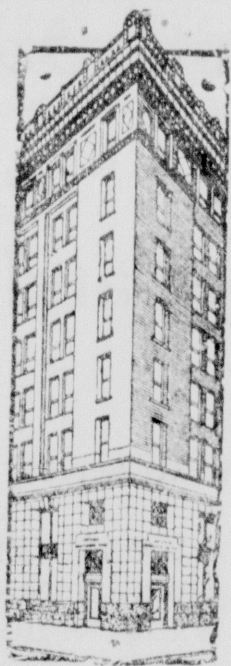
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## WATER SUPPLY JOINT COMMITTEE BEGINS WORK

Long Conference Held Monday When Citizens Asked Questions—Inspection Trip to North Side Wells.

Immediately following the council session Monday morning the "joint committee" composed of the five members of the council and five citizens, Dr. Harker, Dr. Black, T. A. Chapin, M. R. Fitch and J. W. Merriam, held a conference. Mayor Rodgers was elected chairman of the committee and R. L. Pyatt, secretary. The water supply question was discussed for an hour and a half and in the afternoon members of the committee went to the north side station to examine the wells and equipment and also to look over adjacent territory where it has been proposed to establish a reservoir. At the morning conference Dr. Black made a brief report of the meeting the citizens had Saturday and told of his telephone conversation with Dr. Bartow, who expressed the belief that he, together with the representatives of the state board of health and the state geological survey, would be able to come to Jacksonville Thursday and look over the situation. By unanimous vote the secretary was instructed to write the three officials and extend a formal invitation to come to this city.

**Questions Asked.** A brief summary of the action taken at the citizens' conference Saturday was incorporated in the minutes of the meeting Monday. In this record the citizens asked if any measures can be taken to increase the present supply; if accurate figures are obtainable as to the present flow at the north side wells, and furthermore, if some definite statement can be given which would make it clear to the public that the proposed expenditure of money will be wholly for the development of the water department. After this question had been made a part of the record Mr. Vasconcellos explained what had been done in connecting up with Agheby's pond to help out the present supply and further explained the difficulty of increasing the supply at the north side wells just at present. He explained that to take out the strainers would involve tearing away a large amount of well equipment and would cause the shutting down of the well in various other facts were given by Mr. Vasconcellos in answer to inquiry. He stated his belief that the wells are now flowing about 500,000 gallons a day.

**Plans Explained.** Mayor Rodgers in answering the question with reference to the use of any special funds raised only for the water department, explained in detail what had been proposed when bonds were asked for last year. He said that pumps at the north side station, one at the south side station, additional mains, transmission lines from the power station to both north and south side stations were contemplated wholly for the water department. Some increase of power at the power station would also be necessary as there is not now sufficient power and none whatever in reserve. This increase of power plant equipment would incidentally give some greater facilities for lighting but the proposed improvements were practically altogether for the water department. The mayor and Mr. Widmayer in referring to the proposal to keep all funds from the water department wholly for water supply development, explained that no charge is now made against the water department for power furnished and that if this charge and some other proper ones were made, that there would be no surplus from the department. In other words, the present disposition of funds from the water department is merely a matter of bookkeeping.

**Water Department Funds.** The mayor also explained the present system of city finances whereby those who have claims against the city are paid with approved bills which are carried at the Ayers National bank, the city paying the interest. By this means it is possible for every employee and every person having a proper claim against the city to get the money without discount. The plan is beneficial to the city in that it establishes the city's credit and makes it possible for the commissioner to buy necessary supplies at much lower prices than would otherwise be true. The whole discussion was of a frank and informal kind.

**An Early Well Report.** Mr. Vasconcellos brought before the council a report on water from the north side wells and from the river made by Dr. Bartow in March, 1911. This report reads as follows: "The analyses show that the waters of the three wells are practically identical in composition. The analyses indicate that they are at this time perfectly safe for use for drinking purposes. The waters when first drawn from the well were clear and apparently colorless. On exposure to the air they have developed a turbidity and color due to the change of iron from the colorless soluble form to a colored insoluble form. The amount of iron, 1.2 parts per million, while not excessive will give some trouble by causing a coloration on white porcelain ware in laboratories, etc., and there will also be some sedimentation in the mains accompanied by the growth of algae known as crinotrix. The difficulty is of quite common occurrence in waters in central Illinois. On the whole the sanitary-chemical examination is very satisfactory."

I would suggest that before the supply is further developed, it would be advisable to have the flow of the wells tested by a competent impartial engineer. There should be determined the effect of these wells on each other and the effect on the water level in the water bearing strata in the neighborhood. Evidence was obtained that would indicate the water level in the well of the C. P. & St. L. pumping station had been lowered. A comparative analysis shows that the character of the water in the pond adjoining the well and the water taken from the Widenham & Daub wells is quite different. The difference may, however, be due to the passage thru the intervening strata and to a dilution of water from the other sources. Careful tests of the rate of flow into the three wells and the effect on each other should be made before any further wells are located. The advice of an experienced engineer should also be obtained as to the possible effect of dry weather on wells of this character. Should it be decided to have such tests made, I would suggest that Mr. Dwayne H. Maury of Peoria, Prof. A. N. Talbot of the University of Illinois and Alford & Burdick of Chicago, are engineers of experience who would be entirely competent to pass upon the engineering phases of this question.

During my visit it was suggested that the proximity of the stream to which the sewage from Jacksonville flowed, might have an effect on the water of these wells. That this is not the case is indicated by the absence of nitrogen as nitrates and the very low nitrogen as nitrates. Analyses of the stream water at this time would be of no value for the sake of comparison as the composition of the water in the stream is quite variable. A comparison of this water with the so-called Illinois river water, shows that the quality is practically the same.

Neither water is river water. A mineral analysis would undoubtedly confirm the sanitary analysis and show the dissolved matter from the two sources to be nearly the same in composition. This is indicated especially by the amount of the residue on evaporation and the alkalinity. The larger amount of chlorine in the Widenham & Daub wells is an indication that gathering areas of this water are more thickly inhabited, since there are no salt springs in the vicinity.

To summarize—The water from the Widenham & Daub wells is, at the present time, perfectly safe for drinking purposes.

A competent engineer should be engaged to determine, (1) The flow of the wells, (2) The effect of the wells on each other and on the water level of the surrounding territory, (3) The effect of a dry season on the flow.

The water is not affected by the creek, but may be affected by water flowing into the excavation of the C. P. & St. L.

The water has no advantages over the water from the Illinois river bottoms.

Very truly yours,  
Edward Bartow,  
Director State Water Survey.

**PETEFISH SALE.** Horses, hogs, cattle, farm implements and other articles will be offered for sale Tuesday, Feb. 20, at the Petefish farm, Route No. 8, five miles north of city.

**MOLOHON HOUSE IS DAMAGED BY FIRE**  
Webster Avenue Residence Caught Fire While Family Was Absent—Flames Did Slight Damage to Mrs. Story's House.

Fire which started in the roof by sparks from a chimney caused damage to the amount of \$1,500 to the residence of Henry Molohon, 247 Webster avenue Sunday morning. The fire occurred about 9 o'clock. Most of the furniture except some beds on the second floor were saved. Mr. Molohon and all members of the family were away when the fire was discovered.

It was the second time in a week that two fires occurred almost at the same time. The department was called to the residence of Mrs. Martha Story, 509 North Diamond street at 8:20 o'clock. This also was a roof fire started from sparks.

The department had just returned from the Story fire when the other alarm was received. A small part on the engine had broken and the men were engaged in making the repair. The engine was not taken to the Molohon fire, hydrant pressure being used. The pressure was weak but by hard work and the assistance of neighbors and pupils from the School for the Deaf the flames were extinguished.

The residence of Thomas Harber and Mrs. Emma Carrington next door south from the Molohon house was badly scorched. It was with difficulty that it was saved. Mr. Harber was on the roof with fire extinguishers and neighbors passed up buckets of water to him. Chief Hunt estimated the damage to the paint at \$25.

While fighting the Molohon fire a chimney fell striking Chief Hunt and firemen James Hurst and Earl Williams. Fortunately none of them was seriously injured though they received painful bruises.

**PARTITION SUIT.**

A partition suit has been filed by Paul P. Thompson as attorney for Mrs. Fannie C. Headen et al against William C. Headen et al. The bill asks for a partition of the lands belonging to the late Thomas C. Headen.

The Headen estate consists mainly of a fine tract of farm land located about seven miles west of the city. The complainants in the partition suit are Fannie H. Headen, Nellie Hopper, Robert H. Headen, Hannah N. Cohn and Margaret M. Killam and the defendants are W. C. Headen, Lee Otis Headen, R. H. Headen, conservator, Henry Wax, A. W. Jewsbury, Jeffrey Harvey, R. H. and W. C. Headen, executors.

**AT THE GRAND.**

"Four Husbands" is the name of a tabloid musical comedy now on view at the Grand. The presenting company which comes well recommended will be here today and tomorrow. A large audience was present for the initial performance last night.

## NEW PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATIONS FORMED

Organization Begun Monday Night Under Direction of Mrs. O. T. Bright of Chicago Will Be Extended This Week to Surrounding Communities.

Two new parent-teacher organizations, one for the high school and another for David Prince school, were formed last night under the supervision of Mrs. Orville T. Bright of Chicago at a meeting called for the purpose in J. H. S. auditorium. Mrs. Bright is a vice president of the National Congress of Mothers and parent-teacher associations. She is not unknown to Jacksonville people, having addressed the state mothers' congress in this city three years since. Her present visit is made under the auspices of the Morgan County Federation of Women's clubs and the Union Parent-Teacher association.

At the Monday night meeting the high school association elected officers as follows:

President—Mrs. J. Marshall Miller.

Secretary—Mrs. A. B. Williamson.

Chairman program committee—Mrs. E. C. Carpenter.

David Prince association officers:

President—Mrs. George R. Bradley.

Secretary—Mrs. R. L. Pyatt.

Chairman program committee—Mrs. E. K. Towle.

Mrs. Bright will remain in the vicinity through the week, going first to Ashland where pioneer work has already been done thru the influence of Miss Ada M. Glenn a former president of the 20th district federation of women's clubs. She will then go to Mt. Sterling, where club women have of recent months been active along welfare lines. From Mt. Sterling Mrs. Bright will return at Morgan county and will preside at the formation of a parent-teacher association at Murrayville and then at Chapin.

The program Monday evening was begun by music by a high school chorus, composed of the Treble Clef club and the Glee Club and led by Miss Lena Hopper. Mrs. Bright was introduced by Mrs. W. D. Roberts, president of the Jacksonville Union Association. The evening program included music by the J. H. S. orchestra. After the address, refreshments were served by the girls of the domestic science department under direction of Miss Ella Newman.

Mrs. Bright's address dealt in brief with the origin of parent-teacher associations and the great work for good accomplished during the past two decades. There are such associations in thirty-nine states and even now the president is on the way to organize a fortieth, the state of Oklahoma.

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**GRANT EIGHT HOUR DAY**

Burlington, Ia., Feb. 19.—The city council today granted all laborers and teamsters working for the city an eight hour day and a 33 per cent raise in wages. The order affects several hundred men.

**DAIRY TRAIN TO TOUR IOWA**

Waterloo, Ia., Feb. 19.—A special dairy train will leave Waterloo on Wednesday for a tour of northern Iowa. It will carry many prize winning cattle and a large amount of dairy farm machinery.

**PROMOTES CAPT. KNAPP.**

Washington, Feb. 19.—Captain Harry S. Knapp was promoted by President Wilson today as a rear admiral. Several lesser naval promotions were sent to the senate.

Roy Woods came down from Chicago Saturday evening and spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Woods, 844 West College avenue.

## FUNERALS

Martin.

Funeral services for John C. Martin were held from the undertaking parlors of W. W. Gillham Sunday morning at 9 o'clock in charge of the Rev. A. A. Todd pastor First Baptist church. Two solos "Rock of Ages" and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" were sung by Eli McLaughlin. The remains were taken to White Hall Sunday morning for burial. The bearers were: Eli McLaughlin, William Shibe, Edward Shibe, Noah Wright, James Ellis and C. S. Engle, Reed.

Funeral services for James Reed were held from the Concord Christian church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Mr. Cannon of Decatur assisted by the Rev. C. G. Cantrall the pastor, Mrs. Rose Miller and children, of 215 South East street, went to Roodhouse Sunday to visit Mrs. Miller's daughter, Mrs. W. H. Madison and family.

Funeral services for Mrs. Bayless, Mrs. Edgar Cooper, Earl Abernathy and Bert Way with Miss Eva Abernathy as accompanist. The flowers were cared for by Misses Nellie and Vivian Gilliland. Burial was in Concord cemetery the bearers being William Filson, Charles Wallihan Carl Filson, Artie Ham, Albert Brockhouse and B. C. Cratz.

**WILL ADDRESS BROTHERHOOD**

An address by E. E. Crabtree will be delivered this evening at Mt. Emory Baptist church at the monthly meeting of the Brotherhood.

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Clifton Corrington.

I hereby announce myself candidate for Road Commissioner District No. 8 for a full term.

Henry Ruble.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for road commissioner, for District No. 8.

Lloyd Magill.

## BERNSTORFF MAY PROCEED IN A WEEK

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 19.—The interruption to the homeward voyage of Count Von Bernstorff and other German diplomatic and consular officials formerly accredited to the United States which was caused by the British government's inspection here of the Scandinavian Liner Frederik VIII, probably will not take more than one week.

To date so far as could be learned thru the wall of secrecy surrounding the inspection, nothing has developed to warrant any suspicion of contraband.

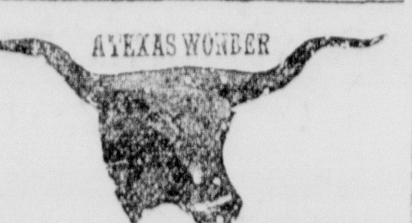
## GOV. LOWDEN SIGNS APPROPRIATION BILL.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 19.—Governor Lowden today signed the last of three appropriation bills to pay employees of the general assembly and its committee and checks were distributed to the relief of employees, who had feared complications had arisen to hold up the payroll.

Appropriations provided in the bills total \$118,000.

## GRANT NEW TRIALS.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 19.—The United States circuit court of appeals granted a new trial today to Ralph K. Blair and Dr. Thomas Adair of San Francisco convicted more than a year ago of recruiting soldiers for the British army here in violation of the neutrality of the United States.



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## MILL AND ELEVATOR BURN AT BEARDSTOWN

Firm of Schultz, Bauman & Co. Sustains \$100,000 Loss—74,000 Bushels of Wheat Damaged

The Schultz, Bauman & Co. mill at Beardstown was destroyed by fire Monday morning. The net loss, according to the management, will be about \$100,000. The firm has two mills, one on each side of the railroad track not far distant from the Burlington station in Beardstown. It was the old mill property and the adjoining elevator which were destroyed. With characteristic business energy the firm is planning to use a locomotive engine to operate the machinery of the new mill. The power plant for both mills adjoined the old mill and was destroyed by the fire.

The flames were discovered at an early hour Monday morning and a number of the firm stated last night that no firemen nor apparatus would have availed much with such a fire. The old mill was of frame construction, very dry and went like tinder when the flames were well started.

In the mill were \$4,000 worth of flour, 4,000 bushels of wheat and \$5,000 worth of cotton sacks. The mill property was valued at \$100,000 and the elevator at \$20,000. The insurance on the mill was \$40,000 and on the contents \$5,000. There was \$5,000 insurance on the elevator building and \$32,000 on the contents. At the time of the fire there were 74,000 bushels of wheat in the elevator with a value of \$125,000. There will be a considerable salvage from the wheat and the firm is hoping to realize about fifty per cent from this part of the loss, so it is possible to figure what the net loss will be, as stated, approximately \$100,000.

See our new 50c silk ties in all shapes at TOMLINSON'S.

### SLIGHT RAINFALL

The slight rain that fell Monday morning gave promise of a heavier downpour which did not come. Enough fell to help out with the water supply situation in a slight degree. Mr. Vasconcellos said yesterday that there had been no loss over Sunday at the reservoir. As the schools and business houses are not users Sunday a rule an excellent gain can be made. The situation was no worse yesterday but the commissioner is insistent in impressing upon the people that the need for economy is still present.

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### A COW WITH A RECORD

E. O. Towne, who lives on a farm seven miles southeast of Jacksonville, has a cow that he thinks has established a record worth while. The cow is ten years old and has eleven calves to her credit, including three pairs of twins. Two of the calves are now several years old and have an important place in Mr. Towne's dairy herd.

**RESIDENCE PROPERTY SOLD**  
Edgar E. Crabtree, acting for Mrs. C. W. Brown, yesterday sold the Brown residence, 251 Webster avenue, to J. N. Conover. The purchase price was not made public. Mr. Conover and family who are already residents of Webster avenue, will take possession of their new home May 15.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Watret of the vicinity of Alexander were visitors yesterday with city people.

## PYTHIANS HEARD SPECIAL SERMON

Attended Service at Grace Church Sunday When Rev. F. B. Madden Had Sermon on Christ as the Giver of Life—Music a Special Feature.

One of the largest assemblages of Pythians ever gathered here for the annual sermon was that which Sunday morning occupied the central tier of seats at Grace M. E. church. The sermon was by Rev. F. B. Madden who took as his text John 10: 19: "I have come that they may have life and have it in exceeding abundance." The theme was "More Life."

**Large Attendance.**  
There were 200 or more members of Jacksonville lodge No. 352 and Favorite lodge No. 376, and they assembled at Castle hall on the north side of the square and marched to the church. Following the custom each night wore a pink carnation. Monday at the suggestion of Grand Chancellor John J. Reeve because of the district Pythian meeting held in the city, every member of the order wore a carnation and as a result hundreds of well known Jacksonville citizens appeared on the streets wearing these flowers.

Special music had been provided for the Sunday morning service under the direction of Prof. Stearns. Miss Rena Lazalle of Illinois Woman's College sang "Hear ye O Israel" by Mendelssohn and the anthem of the morning was Steiner's "God so Loved the World."

Following the sermon Miss Victoria Booth-Clibborn, who is conducting a series of evangelistic meetings at Grace church this week, spoke briefly commending the sermon and emphasizing several of the points made by the pastor. Miss Clibborn also sang a solo and led the congregation in a special service of song.

### Christ Gives Large Life.

The ministers said in the beginning that a consciousness of life's limitations often oppresses people. "So all things which come in the way of enlargement are graciously received. Imagination, travel, literature, studies along various lines all help to give the enlarged view. One of the notable influences for enlarging life is brotherhood in that it increases our joys and adds to the value of comradeship. So with religion. It helps us to get away from ourselves and to put insignificant things of life in the background as we get a larger view and busy ourselves with work for ourselves but more especially for others. It was in order that we might not only have life but have it more abundantly that Christ came and he stands before us as the great enlarger of life and vision. Christ enlarged life increased its opportunities and its responsibilities for us by the gift of Himself. Others have given aids or accessories for enlarging life but Christ gave essentials.

"The rule that he laid down for the larger life was 'Seek ye first the kingdom of God and all these things shall be added unto you.' It is a true understanding of Christ—what he means to us—that constitutes the imperative need of this world. A full understanding of the Christ life and the Christ idea will destroy utterly the forces of selfishness, ignorance and sin. Christ lived up to his ideal and our duty as Pythians, as Methodists and as men is to be as near like him as we may. If we keep up that struggle from day to day and year to year we will have life and have it more abundantly."

## GRACE CHURCH REVIVAL BEGINS WITH PROMISE

Large Audiences Sunday and Monday Find Miss Booth-Clibborn a Speaker of Power and Convincing Enthusiasm—Prayer Service This Morning

The audience which gathered for the opening services of the Grace church revival series more than filled the main floor of the auditorium Sunday night. The specially trained choir added very materially to the interest of the services and gave indication that music will have a large place in the revival effort. Miss Victoria Booth-Clibborn, noted as her theme, "He shall save the people from their sin." With a rare degree of eloquence and earnestness the speaker pointed to the truth that Christianity is not a document or a philosophy but centers about the person, the life and the character of Christ. The audience, as was true of the one which heard Miss Booth-Clibborn Sunday morning, was impressed with the evangelist's spirit.

Monday evening the evangelist took as her text the words of Christ, "If I be lifted up I will draw all men unto me." Much interest attended her narrative of school days in France. Miss Booth-Clibborn was born in the French capital and received a portion of her education there.

This morning at 9 o'clock there will be a special prayer service at the church, in the announcement of the report filed last evening, the Rev. F. B. Madden, pastor of the church, earnestness. This service will be brief and Miss Booth-Clibborn will then go to Illinois college and address the students at the 9:50 o'clock chapel hour. The evening service will be at the regular hour, 7:30 o'clock.

### A HAPPY FAMILY GATHERING

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gunn had a very happy family gathering at their home on Mound avenue. Mrs. Gunn's father, James Curry, her brother Robert Curry and wife, another brother, George Curry and wife and a sister Mrs. James I. Boyd and husband, all came down from Springfield and enjoyed the day returning in the evening. A fine dinner was greatly enjoyed and a good time generally by all present.

### SPILLMAN TRIO

Hear the Spillman Trio with their musical novelties at Brooklyn church tonight.

## MAY ATTEND FUNERAL OF MRS. CHEATHAM

Body of Winchester Woman Laid to Rest With Impressive Ceremonies Sunday Afternoon.

Winchester, Ill., Feb. 19.—Impressive funeral services for Mrs. Linnie Cheatham were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Baptist church with the Rev. D. H. Toomey of Litchfield, a former pastor of the deceased, officiating, assisted by the Rev. C. R. Johnson. The auditorium of the church was filled with friends who had come to pay this last respectful tribute. The music was furnished by Miss Louise Frost, Mrs. W. B. Clark, Miss Martha Higgins, S. G. Smith and G. W. Owings, who sang "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" and "Christians, Good Night." Miss Frost gave as a solo "Crossing the Bar."

The many beautiful floral gifts were under the care of Mrs. John Lashmet, Mrs. M. W. Sappington and Mrs. Randolph Little. Burial was made in Winchester cemetery. The bearers were Claude Thomas, Herman Smith, W. B. Clark, A. C. Smith, George Stuart and John Lashmet.

Mrs. Cheatham's maiden name was Linnie Haggard, she was born Nov. 24, 1840. Her parents were Major Robert Ekins Haggard and Rosaline Edmonson. The family then resided a mile northwest of the city. There were nine daughters, Mrs. Clay Boon of Denver, Colo., is the only one left.

Mrs. Cheatham's long life goes deep in the history of Winchester. She attended school at the famous old academy, a two story frame building which stood on the site of Dr. Pether's office. Sept. 15, 1863, she was married to Benjamin F. Cheatham, a well known music teacher, the ceremony being performed by Dr. W. F. Short, at the time pastor of M. E. church.

Mr. Cheatham died Dec. 30, 1866, leaving his wife with a baby daughter, Lelia one year old, a few years later, she found a place with the faculty of the Winchester public schools, where she remained for 31 years. In that time she was tardy but once and absent only from days on account of illness. Much could be said of her wonderful teaching ability, but doubtless much more is indelibly written in the hearts of her many pupils. Almost every adult person who as grown up in Winchester, has at sometime come under her tutelage. Back in the 1790s, the members of her family have been numbered among the founders of the Baptist churches, throughout the south and in Dec. 1870, her name was added to the roll of this church.

Mrs. Cheatham was a great reader, keeping abreast of the times with questions of the day. She was a sweet singer of considerable talent. When Lincoln was campaigning in town, he stayed at her father's hotel in Cherry street, and as he sat on the porch, he was attracted by the singing of Linnie and her sister. Later when the girls asked him to write in their albums, inscribed this verse, "To Linnie—

A sweet plaintive song did I hear  
And I fancied that she was the singer  
May emotion as pure as that song  
Set afloat.  
Be the worst that the future shall  
Bring her."

How much could be written on this one woman's life. We are glad to know that having fought a good fight, having finished her course, having kept the faith, henceforth there is laid up for her a crown of righteousness which the Lord, the righteous judge shall give her at that day. Only thus will she obtain a fitting reward.

## IF KIPPLING WERE IN THE MILLINERY BUSINESS

(Adapted for H. J. & L. M. Smith)

A fool there was and she bought a shape,  
Even as you and I.  
She covered it up with pieces of crepe,  
And flowers and bows and yards of tape.  
Thinking she'd make the neighbors rave,  
Even as you and I.

When she priced the same hat in the store,  
Even as you and I.  
And found that her own cost a dollar more,  
No wonder the fool was a little sore.  
And swore she'd trim her hats no more,  
Even as you and I.

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### PROBATE COURT.

In the estate of Sarah M. Stacy, the final report was filed by Johanna Stacy and the estate declared closed.

In the estate of Susan E. Sheppard final report was filed by George E. Witte.

In the estate of Addie W. Williams, the inventory was approved.

In the estate of Mary D. Kershaw the report filed by the executor, E. M. Dunlap, was approved.

In the estate of Joseph H. Wells, the appraisement bill was filed and approved and the inventory was approved. This inventory lists realty to the value of \$12,000.

### L. C. AND R. E. HENRY RETURN.

L. C. and R. E. Henry have returned from a purchasing trip during which they visited a number of wholesale millinery markets.

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Tax Levy Ordinance Passed at Monday Session—Miss Bernice Martis is City Hall Stenographer

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# Children's Wash Suits Spring and Summer Showing of the New Styles and Fabrics

Wash Suits, guaranteed fast colors, all styles, materials, colors and novelty effects.

These goods were purchased before the rise in prices and affords the mothers an exceptional inducement at this time to supply their season's wants while the assortments are in their completeness.

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## S. R. CAPPS WRITES OF PROPOSED ALASKAN PARK

Former Jacksonville Resident Has Interesting Article in Geographic Magazine

"A Game Country Without a Rival in America" is the subject of an interesting article in the January number of the National Geographic Magazine by Stephen R. Capps. The writer is a son of the late Stephen R. Capps and a brother of A. F. Capps and H. M. Capps of this city. Mr. Capps took his degree at the University of Chicago in 1907 and shortly afterward became associated with the U. S. Geological survey. Since then his work has taken him to all parts of the United States and Alaska. This article deals with the proposed Mount McKinley National Park in Alaska.

The article is embellished with sixteen illustrations and gives to the reader some of the finest views in that country of magnificent distances. Mr. Capps writes in the vein of one who loves the great outdoors and its denizens and his subject is one appealing to all who like life in the open. While the article is descriptive of the great natural beauties of the country its central thought is of the game that abounds there in almost countless numbers. There are several views of Mount McKinley and his description of that majestic peak is excellently done. Mount McKinley towers to a height of 20,300 feet and the upper 13,600 feet is clad in glaciers, and perpetual snow.

Speaking of the Mount McKinley region Mr. Capps says, "The Mount McKinley region now offers a last chance for the people of the United States to preserve, untouched by civilization, a great primeval park in its natural beauty."

He then describes the vast numbers of white Big Horn sheep, Caribou and Moose in a manner to set the blood of the hunter to pulsing as he reads it. Mr. Capps says that the sheep abound in great numbers and that he has counted as high as 300 in a single day's journey of ten miles along the river bars.

The writer says that Caribou are numbered by the thousands and tells of one herd with over 200 animals. Moose also abound in great numbers as well as bear, the Mr. Capps says that there are not as many bears as in some other parts of Alaska.

The country also is a great one for the trappers. Silver foxes and other varieties abound in great numbers. The beaver also is found in large numbers.

It is an earnest appeal that Mr. Capps makes for the preservation of this game paradise. Every true sportsman will hope that heed may be given by the government and that immediate steps will be taken to save this virgin spot, one of the few now remaining in our possessions.

### PETEFISH SALE.

Horses, hogs, cattle, farm implements and other articles will be offered for sale Tuesday, Feb. 20, at the Petefish farm, Route No. 8, five miles north of city.

## MAN SHOT AND KILLED NEAR LAGRANGE LOCKS

Henry Morgan Dead as Result of Altercation With George Wilcot—Trouble Arose Over Attempt to Borrow a Boat.

Meredosia Feb. 19.—Henry Morgan was shot by George Wilcot at Lagrange locks north of Meredosia about noon Monday and died from effects of the wound at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The weapon used was a shotgun and the charge struck Morgan in the hip. After the shooting Wilcot went to Mr. Sterling and surrendered to the authorities. A jury empaneled Monday afternoon after hearing the evidence returned a verdict that Morgan's death was caused from a gunshot wound inflicted by George Wilcot and recommended that Wilcot be held to the grand jury.

### Altercation Over Hire of Boat.

The shooting resulted from an altercation between Wilcot and Morgan about hiring a boat. Morgan, who is a farmer, went to the locks and wanted to hire Wilcot to take him across the river. Wilcot is a fisherman and lives in a cabin boat at the locks.

Wilot told Morgan, according to witnesses that he could not take him across the river as he had some nets to look after. Then, it is said, Morgan wanted to borrow a boat. When Wilcot refused to lend him a boat Morgan wanted to borrow a pair of oars. This request also was refused.

Then the altercation started which ended in Morgan attempting to hit Wilcot with an oar. Wilcot took the oar away from Morgan and then it is said that Morgan grabbed a hatchet and threw it at Wilcot. The latter retreated into his cabin and seized a shotgun. It is said that Morgan had by that time grabbed an ax. It was then that Wilcot emerged from the cabin boat and shot him.

### Soft Drink Boat at Locks.

For several months there has been a cabin boat in the vicinity of the locks which is known as the "Yellow Dog." It is alleged that drinks both soft and hard are sold on this boat and that the locks in recent months has been the scene of more or less hilarity.

Morgan formerly conducted a store at the locks which burned down some months ago. Since then he has been engaged in farming. The men are about 40 years of age. Wilcot is a fisherman and follows that occupation for a living and lives in a cabin boat which he moors along the Illinois river, it at present being located at the locks.

### THE ARNOLD SALE

J. W. Arnold's annual sale occurs under big tent Friday, Feb. 23. Offerings include 80 head of mules, 40 horses, 1 percheron stallion, 3 thorbred bulls; also cows, hogs and other livestock.



# INDIA TEA

Works  
for  
Temperance

R. Burton Chadwick, Director of British Overseas Transport, has got himself into hot water. He said that to mitigate the shipping shortage the British people should stop drinking tea. Chadwick was speedily told that he did not know what he was talking about.

Tea is not a luxury in England, but a necessity, a tonic, a "pick-me-up," and a beverage only slightly more costly than water.

Tea too, many people declare, works for abstinence from stronger things.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

India Tea cannot be expensive: 256 cups to a lb.

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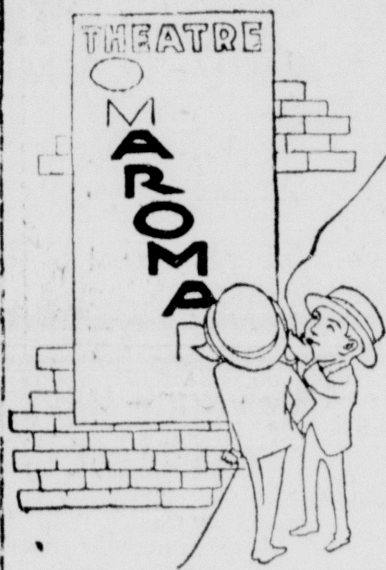
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### WILL BE SHORT WEEK FOR LEGISLATORS

To Adjourn Wednesday for Week Because of Holidays—House Far Behind Senate in Work Accomplished—Final Adjournment Probably in June.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 29.—The two houses of the Fiftieth General Assembly held perfunctory sessions today and will reconvene tomorrow. This will be a short week for the legislators as they expect to adjourn Wednesday evening until the following Wednesday. The long adjournment is on account of two holidays, Thursday being Washington's birthday and the following Tuesday being a holiday on account of the primaries in Chicago.

In the senate both days this week will be occupied with consideration of the administrative code bill, the measure which has been prepared for the purpose of consolidating 120 bureaus and commissions into nine major departments. The bill was passed last week by the house by an overwhelming vote and is certain of passage in the senate with possibly a few amendments.

The house will make the most of the two days this week as it is far behind the senate in work accomplished. No important legislation will be brought up for action, however, unless a vote is reached on the state-wide prohibition measure which has been passed by the senate.

The resolution passed by the senate to submit to the voters the question of revising the state constitution will probably not come before the house until week after next.

With the number of bills before both houses it appears impossible that final adjournment will be reached before June.

Yes, those are new ties at 35c at TOMLINSON'S.

### CORN SOLD AT RECORD PRICE MONDAY

Brought \$1.02 at the Oliver Ash sale Held Near Winchester.

Oliver Ash held a sale Monday at his farm east of Winchester. The sale totaled about \$3,000 and everything brought good prices. Corn in the crib sold for \$1.02 per bushel, the highest price ever paid in the history of Scott county. Oats brought 65 cents per bushel and baled clover hay 44 cents per bale. Jed G. Cox was the auctioneer and George Hogan of Winchester acted as clerk. Some of the prices and buyers are given hereunder.

John Murray bought a gray mare for \$215. James Ring paid \$165 for a horse and a bay mare went to Mr. Myers for \$160. William McCarty paid \$120 for a horse and Mr. Summers bought one for \$140.

One cow and calf was sold to Charles Freitag for \$128. Mr. Freitag also paid \$61 for a steer calf. Mrs. Myers bought a cow for \$99 and John Stewart one for \$85. William McCarty paid \$33 each for three heifers and John German bought a heifer for \$45.

Brood sows bought from \$33 to \$39. James Ring paid \$5.70 per head for twenty pigs.

### THREE COUSINS GATHER HERE

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. George C. Guthrie and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Heaton had the pleasure of entertaining three nephews, Arthur Martin, son of Mrs. Libbie Martin of Seattle, Washington; Fred Panhorst of St. Louis and son of another sister, Mrs. Emma Panhorst; and Frank Morrison son of their sister, Mrs. Kate Morrison of Peoria.

Arthur Martin has gone wonderfully ahead since going to the Pacific coast and is now manager of a department in a great concern with branches in Seattle and Spokane and was on his way home from New York where he had been on a purchasing expedition.

Fred Panhorst is a graduate of the engineering department of the state university at Urbana and holds a good position with the Pennsylvania railroad in St. Louis. Frank Morrison is yet a high school and will be ready for business later on.

### OPPOSE TRADING STAMPS

Dayton, O., Feb. 19.—Hundreds of hardware dealers, manufacturers, jobbers and salesmen are gathering here in anticipation of the opening tomorrow of the annual convention of the Ohio Retail Hardware Dealers' Association. The convention promises to be one of the most important as well as the largest ever held by the association. Abolition of trading stamps and similar trade inducements will be advocated by the convention and policies with reference to meeting mail order competition also will receive attention.

### CARNIVAL BEGINS IN NEW ORLEANS

New Orleans, La., Feb. 19.—The annual Mardi Gras celebration was opened here today with the arrival of Rex and his retinue. The appearance of the royal yacht was the signal for a blast of whistles and the firing of salutes. The landing of the king of the carnival and his parade thru the city were witnessed by thousands, the streets being crowded so as to impede the progress of the procession. In the parade were Boy Scouts, military organizations, mounted knights, carriages, etc., the whole forming a line several miles in length. At the city hall the mayor delivered the keys of the city, and the revelry commenced.

### OREGON RETAIL MERCHANTS

Portland, Ore., Feb. 19.—The annual convention of the Oregon Retail Merchants' association opened in Portland today with a record-breaking attendance of trade representatives from every section of the state. The merchants will spend several days in the consideration of various problems of interest and importance to the retail trade.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strawn and son, Henry, were down to the city yesterday from Strawn's Crossing.

### PACKING HOUSE PLANT HAS BEEN TRANSFERRED

Title to Property Held by Edgar E. Crabtree as Trustee—Business Has Prospered in Recent Years.

Deeds indicating that the property of the Jacksonville Packing Company has been transferred to Edgar E. Crabtree. The particulars of the transaction were not made public yesterday and when asked about the matter Mr. Crabtree stated that he was representing eastern parties.

It is understood from other sources that the plant is to be substantially improved during the course of the year in a way which will make it possible to increase the capacity.

The packing company plant was established a great many years ago by the late Charles H. Widmayer and subsequently passed thru a series of managements. Eventually Isaac Powers became the manager and the successful record he made was in large measure responsible for his appointment as manager of a much larger plant at Terre Haute, Ind. At the time Mr. Powers took the Indiana plant it was said to be a losing business. Within a very few weeks after he assumed the management conditions changed and the business has continued to grow.

After Mr. Powers' retirement Fred Begg, who had been associated with Mr. Powers, became the manager of the local plant. Thru the years Mr. Begg and Mr. Powers have maintained a partnership and have operated the plant here under lease from the Jacksonville Packing company. In the past few years the packing business thruout the country has felt the impetus of general business conditions and this fact has been reflected in local institutions, which has been handled in a very successful way. The firm is understood to have prospered and incidentally they have maintained a business of considerable advantage to a community dependent upon farming and livestock as the principal industry, for a satisfactory local market has continually been assured.

### DICK REYNOLDS VICTIM OF FOOTPADS SUNDAY

Well Known Young Man Knocked Down and Robbed in West College Avenue.

While on his way home late Sunday night Richard Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Reynolds, was knocked down and robbed of \$8 in money. The robbers also took his watch and pocket knife but these were found near the scene of the holdup Monday morning. The robbery was committed in front of the residence of F. J. Andrews, 1252 West College avenue.

Reynolds was struck on the right side of the neck and the blow rendered him unconscious for more than half an hour. The weapon evidently was a black jack or a sandbag as the skin was not broken. However, Mr. Reynolds was nursing a stiff neck and a very sore head Monday.

In company with three other young men, James Capps, Richard Rowe and Edward Dennis, Reynolds had been spending the evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ayers of West State street. Shortly after 11 o'clock they all started to their respective homes.

The young men all lived west of the Ayers home and walked together until they reached Prospect street. Reynolds and Capps left. Rowe and Dennis and turned south on Prospect street to College avenue. Capps was the first to reach home and left Reynolds who continued west on College avenue.

The Reynolds home is on the south side of West College avenue and he was walking on the north side of the avenue. When in front of the residence of F. J. Andrews he thought he heard a footstep behind him and turned to look. As he did someone struck him on the back of the neck knocking him down and rendering him unconscious.

When he regained consciousness he managed to reach home. Upon arrival he found that his coat and vest had been torn open, nearly all of the buttons being torn loose. His pocketbook containing \$8 in money, watch and pocketknife and a book of addresses were missing.

Monday morning J. G. Reynolds father of the victim went to the scene of the holdup and found the watch and knife lying on the ground. It is not known whether the robbers became frightened or whether they were afraid to keep the watch and knife, thinking that they might lead to their apprehension.

### PUBLIC SALE

Wilbur Hembrough will sell on a farm near Asbury church, 8 miles southeast of Jacksonville, Thursday, Feb. 22, commencing at 10:30 a. m., seven horses, 52 cattle, seven milk cows, short horns, angus and Jerseys. Also a good line of implements. Lunch served by Ladies' Aid of Asbury.

### USE OF CONCRETE IN WAR

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 19.—The adaptability of concrete in the construction of fortifications and for other military purposes is illustrated by exhibits at the Concrete Show that opened in Convention Hall in this city today. The show is a feature of the annual convention of the Southwestern Concrete Association to be held here this week.

### START TRAINING CIVILIANS

Boston, Mass., Feb. 19.—An important step in the direction of naval preparedness was taken today, when classes of instruction for men planning to enroll for the civilian cruises next summer were opened on the U. S. S. Virginia at the Charlestown navy yard. The classes also will accommodate men for the naval coast defense reserves, and for certain other classes of the naval reserve force.

### COURT HOUSE NEWS

#### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

W. J. Pinkerton by executor to Edward J. Henry southwest quarter northwest quarter 34-13-8, \$3,365.

#### CROSS BILL IN DIVORCE CASE.

In the divorce proceedings of Herman Barrett vs. Hannah Barrett a cross bill has been filed by Carl E. Robinson as attorney for Mrs. Barrett. In the original bill Mr. Barrett charged his wife with repeated acts of cruelty and in the cross bill it is the claim of Mrs. Barrett that the cruelty has been on the part of the husband. Various dates are cited on which the complainant in the cross bill charges that her husband attacked her and treated her with the greatest cruelty. She claims that she was kicked, beaten into insensibility and was unconscious for hours and that no physician was summoned to attend her. She charged further that on one occasion her husband drew a loaded revolver and threatened to kill her and moreover that his conduct was such that she could not continue to live with him.

#### A REMARKABLE FAMILY.

In 1852 Martin and Anna Dyer Bridgman came to this county from West Virginia and settled on the well known Jewett farm and lived mostly in this county till their death a number of years ago. A year or two was spent in Maroa but they found Morgan county was the best place to live. They were upright, industrious people, of the class to whom this region owes so much for they went ahead and prepared the land for the enjoyment of many in years to come. The name of Bridgman has been honored in this county and is so yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Bridgman were the parents of nine children one of whom, Mary A. Mrs. W. L. Williamson, is dead. The living ones are:

William F. Bridgman, aged 86, of Farmer City.

Amanda, Mrs. J. H. Williamson, 83, Farmer City.

Henry Bridgman, 79, Decatur.

Columbus Bridgman, aged 77, of Chapin.

Cornelia, Mrs. Alonzo Guthridge, 73, Farmer City.

Sarah, Mrs. A. Patterson, 71 South Church St., Jacksonville.

John Bridgman, 66, northwest of Jacksonville.

Laura, Mrs. T. J. White, 62, of Woodson.

#### NOTICE OF MEETING.

The Woman's Club of the United Commercial Travelers will meet at 2:30 Thursday afternoon, Feb. 22nd at the home of Mrs. L. R. Craig, 605 North Church street. Mrs. C. H. Phillee will assist in entertaining. Members please note change of date.

## Spring

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He'll  
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**BURLINGTON TRAIN SERVICE MAY BE CHANGED**

Rumors Abroad That St. Louis-Minneapolis Limited Trains Will Run Thru White Hall

White Hall, Feb. 19.—Rumor has it that there is to be an important change in the train service on this division of the Burlington March 1st, but these lack authorization. For several years the Burlington has operated its Minneapolis and St. Louis limited trains via the west side of the Mississippi to Burlington, Iowa,

and thence over the Rock Island line to Minneapolis, and this contract is said to expire on March 1st, at which time rumor says these trains will be operated over this division of the Burlington via Rock Island, distance of 620 miles, only 34 miles further than the route as at present used. These limited trains will take the place of the present local trains operated over this division of the Burlington between St. Louis and Minneapolis, and a local service will be inaugurated between Beardstown and St. Louis. This division of the road is now in physical condition for any class of traffic, and the issuance of a forthcoming time card will be watched with interest.

Main line trains of the C. & A. have been running this way today, between Springfield and Godfrey, on account of a freight derailment at Macoupin, near Carlyville, which obstructed the main line, the greater part of the day.

The members of Porter Lodge, K. of P., attended the Presbyterian church Sunday evening in a body. The annual sermon was delivered by Rev. A. F. Ewert.

Misses Grace Ballow and Gladys Stevens, of Taylorville, are guests of relatives here.

Miss Mary Worcester spent Sunday at Wood River with her brother A. W. Worcester.

The Central Illinois Public Service company has completed an important substation adjoining the West Road-house interlocking tower on the north. It takes care of the 33,000-volt transmission lines from Keokuk and the structure will be made the subject of a short special article in the near future.

The continued freight car shortage is a source of concern to local shippers. The demands have so far been pretty well cared for, but this is largely because the clay manufacturers have been very prompt in loading their products and keeping the cars moving, whereas shippers who are dilatory in this matter receive corresponding consideration from car distributors. The heavy shipment of C. & A. ice into Rock-

house also affords another source of cars from that road.

The total rainfall at White Hall last night was .28 inch, making the total precipitation since November 22nd, 2.36 inches.

**MORGAN**

William Middendorf was a Springfield visitor Saturday and Sunday.

Chas. E. Williams delivered corn to H. Peñix of Chapin the past week.

Harmon Rahe and Herman Dufelmeier sold hogs to W. S. Brownlow of Chapin one day last week.

Chester Williams was a Jacksonville visitor Saturday.

Arthur Northrup children are on the sick list at this writing.

Dr. S. J. Carter of Jacksonville was a caller here, last Thursday.

Misses Leta and Leah Rahe and Earl and Alfred Rahe spent Sunday with Harry Leonard and family of the Huffs neighborhood.

Mrs. William Dodd and daughter of the east part of the county spent a few days last week with Mrs. Kate Swettart and other relatives in this vicinity.

Charles Nergenah was a Jacksonville visitor last Saturday.

**CROSS ROADS—**

Mrs. Ralph Megginson visited her mother Mrs. Frank Hembrough Wednesday, who has been ill for some time.

Mrs. C. L. Hembrough was calling on friends in the Cross Road neighborhood Wednesday evening.

The B. B. club of this vicinity entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reynolds Tuesday evening about sixty guests at a farewell party given in honor of Cleo L. Hart, who is soon to depart for Colorado. Mr. Hart was presented with a silver ring, a token of esteem, by the club. Delectable refreshments were served during the evening and all enjoyed a very pleasant time.

Mrs. John Adams and little daughter Margaret were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Hitch the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sheppard and family visited relatives near Murrayville Sunday.

Saturday evening was very pleasantly spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vasey, by a number of their friends and relatives. During the evening refreshments were served and various games were played.

Mrs. Thomas Young and daughter were Thursday afternoon callers of Mrs. J. R. Hembrough.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Megginson spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor.

T. J. Newcomb has arrived from Rock Island, where he has been visiting relatives.

Mrs. C. E. Reynolds, Mrs. C. W. Watson, Mrs. T. J. Newcomb and Mrs. L. R. Watson took dinner Friday with R. C. Megginson.

Best Fitzsimmons has been on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. Mattie Taylor and son visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hembrough Sunday.

**EAST UNION**

Misses Amy Jones and Dorotha Bridges spent Saturday and Sunday with their uncle Nelson Mitchell and family of Manchester.

Misses Mabel and Viola Daniel spent Sunday with their sister Mrs. Verna Cooley.

Frank Chinard and family spent Sunday with Henry Cain and family.

Mrs. Wiley Goacher is very ill at this writing.

Chas. Cryder and family spent Sunday with Wiley Goacher and wife.

Rev. Fred Herron preached at East Union Sunday night.

Several of the young people of this vicinity attended the meeting at Manchester Saturday and Sunday night.

Carey Hawkins and wife spent Sunday with Stephen Cardwell and family.

**FURTHER INFORMATION FURNISHED GOVERNMENT**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Further information about suffering in Greece resulting from the blockade was submitted to the state department by the Greek legation. Cases of starvation were reported from various provinces and the poor quality of flour available was said to have brought on an epidemic of dysentery and ptomaine poisoning.

The cargo boats loaded with wheat and flour which arrived during the blockade said the legation stated instead of simply have been detained by allies so as to be turned over after it would be raised have been turned over to the revolutionaries.

**HEAR APPLICATION FOR HABEAS CORPUS WRIT**

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 19.—Hearing on the application of William R. Skidmore Chicago saloon keeper and politician for a writ of habeas corpus began today before the state supreme court. A ruling is expected some time today. Skidmore who was indicted in connection with graft charges against members of the Chicago police department was held in \$20,000 bonds, which later were increased by Judge Robert Crowe to \$40,000. Skidmore applied for a writ of habeas corpus to obtain his release.

The Chicago saloon keeper appeared in court in charge of a deputy sheriff. He was represented by C. R. McCauley of Chicago.

**GERMANS AWAKE TO VALUE OF PUBLICITY**

BERNE, Switzerland, Feb. 17.—From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press—According to the statements made to the correspondent before his departure from Berlin with former Ambassador Gerard by public men in Germany, the German government did not awake until long after the beginning of the war to the desirability of having its side of the case given a hearing in the neutral press. An outlay of untold hundreds of thousands of marks since then has been made with the employment of not inconsiderable staffs of officers and men and with constantly changing systems in the effort to achieve the desired ends.

**FAIL TO COMPLETE ORGANIZATION OF THREE-I**

Owners Undecided Which City Will Be Given Vacant Berth.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 19.—Three I League owners failed today to complete their organization for the coming year. It was however, made certain that the league would continue and that eight clubs would be reported. Whether Davenport or Alton will have a berth is still undecided.

Another meeting will be held tomorrow morning and tonight it seemed practically certain that Alton would be awarded the Davenport franchise as Jim Hayes of Davenport demanded more time to think the latter over. Hayes asked the club owners to grant him until the first of March to decide. Harry Jarrett of Alton produced his guarantee and in addition 100 pledges of \$15 each from Alton fans who desire that the Davenport Three I franchise be transferred to that city. The whole question may be disposed of at the session tomorrow morning.

Triumphs from every city excepting Rock Island Davenport and Moline were posted today. Rock Island has promised a check within 24 hours.

Moline has a check ready when Rock Island fulfills her agreement. A new rule which requires every club in the league to use five "trickle" players was adopted. Peoria and Bloomington opposed the rule. The player limit was boosted from 13 to 14 men including the managers. Efforts to boost the salary limit from \$1800 to \$2300 a month failed. The league members also decided to adopt President Kearney's economy plan, that of doing away with the double umpire system. The number of umpires to be employed is left to the press. An assessment of \$200 against club to pay mileage differences in last season's play was made.

**CALENDAR OF SPORTS FOR THE WEEK**

**Tuesday**  
Opening of annual bench show of Westminster Kennel Club, at New York city.

Close of the winter race meeting of New Orleans Jockey club, at New Orleans.

Opening of annual tournament of Pacific Coast Bowling association, San Jose, Cal.

Ad Wolgast vs. Terry Brooks, 10 rounds, at Boston.

**Wednesday**  
Hartford Armory indoor track and field meet, at Hartford, Conn.

Opening of midwinter golf tournament of Houston Country Club, at Houston, Texas.

**Thursday**  
Coronado open golf championship, at Coronado, Cal.

Syracuse-Michigan dual in-door track and field meet, at Syracuse.

Opening of annual bench show of Colorado Kennel club, at Denver.

Frank Taberski vs. Louis Kreuter, at Youngstown, O., for pocket billiard championship.

Midwinter tournament of New York State Chess association, at New York city.

Johnny Kilbane vs. Tommy Tuohy, 10 rounds, at New York.

Jimmy Duffy vs. Battling Kopin, 10 rounds, at Erie, Pa.

**Friday**  
National A. A. U. handball championship tournament opens in Detroit.

Schedule meeting of Western Lawn Tennis association, at Chicago.

Opening of annual bench show of Pasadena Kennel club, Pasadena, Cal.

**Saturday**  
Schedule meeting of American baseball association, at Kansas City.

Opening of Cuban-American Horse Show, at Havana, Cuba.

Annual show of Atlanta Automobile Dealers' association, Atlanta, Ga.

Annual show of Newark Automobile Dealers' association, Newark, N. J.

Pennsylvania indoor tennis championships, at Philadelphia.

Annual indoor games of Johns Hopkins University, at Baltimore.

Annual indoor games of Fordham University, at New York.

New England A. A. U. annual indoor championships, at Boston.

Wisconsin Notre Dame dual indoor track and field meet, at Notre Dame, Ind.

Ad Wolgast vs. Frank Fleming, 10 rounds, at Montreal.

**ADDITIONAL DETAILS OF MURDERED WOMAN**

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 19.—The American Mormons who attended the funeral of the three Mormon victims of the Corner Ranch raid of last Monday returned here today with additional details of the murder.

Physicians in the party declared the mer had been severely tortured before being put to death.

The Americans said all ranches in the Hachita and Joz district were being in preparation for another Mexican raid. Every ranch house, they said is a veritable arsenal.

Salazar is expected to attack Juarez after mobilizing his forces at Palomas according to the report these men brought back.

**BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 19.—The gymnasium of the Illinois Athletic club is expected to be the scene of some stirring basketball contests during the first half of this week, beginning tonight, the occasion being the annual tournament to determine the championship of the Central A. A. U. The entrants include star teams from numerous points in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Minnesota, Iowa, Michigan and Wisconsin.

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**GRACE CHURCH WINS OPENING GAME**

Grace church defeated State Street church at basketball at the Y. M. C. A. Monday night 35 to 21. A few days ago a league was formed of teams from the various churches and a tournament arranged. The game Monday was the first of the schedule. The lineup follows:

Grace Church	P. G.	F. T.	T.
Crim	6	1	13
Crouch	4	0	8
Molohna	4	2	10
Kirkpatrick	0	0	0
Corrington	0	0	0
Peak	1	0	2
Davis	0	0	0
Totals	15	3	33

State Street Church F. G.	P. T.	T.
Badger	1	0
Furry	2	1
Farrell	4	0
Floeth	3	0
Nietel	0	0
Totals	10	1

Mendenhall g ..... 0 0 0  
Toussaint g ..... 0 0 0

Totals.....10 1 21  
Referee, Hufford; scorer, Walker.

**SPEED BOYS DEFEAT FRANKLIN INDEPENDENTS**

The Springfield Speed Boys defeated the Franklin Independents at Franklin Saturday night by a score of 38 to 13. The game was a rough one from start to finish. The lineup follows:

Springfield—Frederick and Fraser, forwards; Harrison, center; A. Livingston, C. Livingston and Caspar guards.
Franklin—Beerup and Seymour, forwards; Stewart, center; Burnett, Hart and Bergschneider, guards.

**ANOTHER MILLIKIN VICTIM**

Decatur, Feb. 19.—Millikin University kept her slate clean by de-

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cord delivered. Call Bell phone  
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**FOR SALE**—Walnut logs or lumber  
and oak lumber. Ill. tel. 077.  
Woodco. 1-18-1mo.

**FOR SALE**—Seed corn and straw-  
berry plants. L. N. James, Ill.  
phone 86. 2-6-17

**FOR SALE**—Seed Oats, white SH-  
vermine, snuff treated. Bell 39-12.  
S. H. Crum. 2-18-111

**FOR SALE**—Baled hay at Weagley  
Farm. Enquire or Charles Dodd,  
926-5, Bell Phone. 2-18-17

**FOR SALE**—Single Comb Rhode Is-  
land Red eggs, \$1.30 per setting.  
Call Illinois 596. 2-18-1mo

**FOR SALE**—Some good Poland  
China male pigs. Ill. phone 05.  
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**FOR SALE**—Household goods, Wed-  
nesday afternoon, Feb. 21, W. L.  
Armstrong, 221 Pine St. 2-12-31

**FOR SALE**—Lot, 50 foot front on  
Caldwell St., one block from street  
car line. Inquire W. L. Fay.

**FOR SALE**—Buff Orpington eggs,  
75c per setting, \$4 per 100. Mrs.  
E. R. Carter, both phones. 2-18-17

**FOR SALE**—Extra fine quality  
home grown clover seed. P. W.  
Fox, half block south of court  
house. 2-20-17

**FOR SALE**—1911 Five Passenger  
Mitchell six in good running con-  
dition. Bargain. Donald C. Joy,  
Ill. Phone 445. 2-18-31

**FOR SALE**—Barred Plymouth rock  
cockerels and White Holland gos-  
sers. Mrs. W. H. Paschall, Mark-  
ham. Both phones. 2-16-17

**FOR SALE**—30 tons of good mixed  
hay and some pure timothy baled.  
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2-10-17

**FOR SALE**—Rose comb White and  
brown Leghorn hens and pullets.  
812 Grove St., M. D. Carpenter. 2-11-17

**FOR SALE**—Farms in richest soil  
of the U. S. Corn, wheat, clover  
and alfalfa. \$70 per acre per  
ira Cottingham, Commissioner,  
Fielden, Illinois. 12-29-2mo

**PUBLIC SALE**—Thursday, Feb. 22,  
on farm near Asbury church, eight  
miles southeast of Jacksonville of  
horses, cattle, implements, etc.  
Wilbur Hembrough. 2-15-51

**PUBLIC SALE**—Horses, cattle,  
sheep, hogs, hay, etc., five miles  
north of Jacksonville at White  
Haven Chicken Farm, Tuesday,  
February 20th. Ellis Petefish.  
2-14-51

**FOR SALE**—Clover Seed 95 percent  
pure, \$10.75 per bu., alfalfa \$9.50.  
timothy \$2.50. Freight prepaid.  
hogs \$2.25. Send for samples and  
catalogue of farm seeds. Kelly  
Seed Co., San Jose, Ill. 2-20-61

**FOR SALE**—One team of four years  
old mare mules; one gang plow;  
one pair six shovel cultivators;  
one buggy; three oak corner posts;  
2,000 feet elm; 12,000 feet oak.  
600 feet of sycamore lumber. Call  
or write W. E. Bates, 1115 North  
Diamond street. 2-20-41

**FOR SALE**—Wisconsin Farm Lands  
LANDSCAPE, a magazine giving  
the facts about the land situation.  
Three months' subscription free.  
If for a home or as an investment  
you are thinking of buying good  
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**MONEY TO LEND ALWAYS**—The  
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ous amounts to loan on farm and  
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## WHEAT PRICES CLOSE

**STRONG AT AN ADVANCE**

Improved Shipping Conditions and  
Increase in Number of Unfavor-  
able Crop Reports Give Firmness  
to Market.

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Improved shipping  
conditions have helped firmness today  
in the wheat market and so did a material  
increase of the number of unfavorable  
crop reports from the domestic winter  
belt. Prices closed strong here to 2 1/2  
cents higher, with May at \$1.75 to \$1.76  
and July at \$1.65 to \$1.66. Corn gained 3/4  
cent, oats 1/2 cent and provisions 1/2  
cent. As the fall-crop crop of wheat  
was seeded late and went into the win-  
ter frosts short of normal growth the  
comparing coming here to be worthy of  
attention. In the corn market the  
strength of wheat was the dominating  
factor. The fact that receipts continue  
to be light was a bar to any decided  
reaction from advances.

On the rise in response to seaboard buy-  
ing, it was said today bushels were  
taken for the east to be shipped as soon  
as cars were available.  
Provision values advanced chiefly be-  
cause of the lightness of stocks of lard.  
At first the some uncertainty was  
brought about by unexpected numerous  
arrivals of hogs here.

**OMAHA LIVESTOCK MARKET**  
Omaha, Feb. 19.—Hogs—Receipts 8,600;  
lower; heavy \$11.95; light \$11.90;  
\$12.15; pigs \$10.95; bulk of sales  
\$11.50; \$11.50; \$11.50.  
Cattle—Receipts 7,300. Show native  
steers \$8.50; \$11.25; cows and heifers \$7.25  
\$8.25.  
Sheep—Receipts 12,000; steady; year-  
lings \$11.50; \$11.50; weathers \$10.50; \$11.50;  
lambs \$11.50; \$11.50.

**TOLEDO CASH SEED MARKET**  
Toledo, O., Feb. 19.—Clover seed, prime  
cash and February \$1.35; March \$1.40.  
Alfalfa, prime cash \$1.75; March \$1.80.  
Timothy prime cash \$2.45; March \$2.50.

**KANSAS CITY GRAIN MARKET**  
Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 19.—Wheat 1 to  
2 high. No. 2 hard \$1.60; No. 3  
\$1.50; No. 4 \$1.40; No. 5 \$1.30.  
Oats unchanged; No. 2 white \$0.95; No. 3  
\$0.90; No. 4 \$0.85; No. 5 \$0.80.  
Corn 2 mixed \$0.95; No. 2 white \$0.95; No. 3  
\$0.90; No. 4 \$0.85; No. 5 \$0.80.  
Rye and milo maize \$2.75; \$2.75.  
Hay unchanged. Timothy \$12.00; \$12.00.  
Prairie \$12.00; \$12.00.

**PEORIA GRAIN MARKET**  
Peoria, Ill., Feb. 19.—Corn 1 1/2 higher.  
No. 2 white \$1.05; No. 4 white \$0.95; No. 5  
\$0.90; No. 6 \$0.85; No. 7 \$0.80.  
Oats unchanged; No. 2 white \$0.95; No. 3  
\$0.90; No. 4 \$0.85; No. 5 \$0.80.  
Rye and milo maize \$2.75; \$2.75.  
Hay unchanged. Timothy \$12.00; \$12.00.  
Prairie \$12.00; \$12.00.

**NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET**  
New York, Feb. 19.—Wheat—Spot  
strong. No. 1 Northern Duro \$2.14;  
No. 2 Northern Duro \$2.14; No. 3  
No. 4 \$2.14; No. 5 \$2.14; No. 6 \$2.14.  
Corn—Spot strong; No. 2 yellow \$1.15;  
No. 3 yellow \$1.15; No. 4 yellow \$1.15;  
No. 5 yellow \$1.15; No. 6 yellow \$1.15.  
Oats—Spot strong; standard 75¢/bu.

**NEW YORK BUTTER MARKET**  
New York, Feb. 19.—Butter unsettled;  
creamery, extras 50¢/lb.  
New York, Feb. 19.—Mercantile paper  
80¢/lb.  
Bar silver 75¢.  
Mexican Dollars 60¢.  
Gold money steady; high 2 1/2; low 2 1/4;  
closing bid 2 1/4.

**HOME MARKETS.**  
Spring chickens, 10¢/lb.  
Chickens, old, 10¢/lb.  
Butter, 10¢/lb.  
Eggs, 10¢/lb.  
Lard, 10¢/lb.  
Bacon, 10¢/lb.  
Turkeys, 10¢/lb.  
Hens, heavy, 10¢/lb.  
Hens, light, 10¢/lb.  
Springs, light, 10¢/lb.  
Old Roasters, 10¢/lb.  
Ducks, 10¢/lb.  
Geese, 10¢/lb.  
Turkey, 10¢/lb.  
Fresh Eggs, 10¢/lb.  
Ref. Hides, 10¢/lb.  
P. Hides, 10¢/lb.  
The Jacksonville Creamery Co. is now  
paying the better fat.

**HAY AND GRAIN**  
Timothy Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Clover Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Alfalfa Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Oats Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Corn Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Rye Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Milo Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Sorghum Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Buckwheat Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Sudangrass Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Cottonseed Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Soybean Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Peanut Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Sunflower Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Flax Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Hemp Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Jute Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Kelp Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
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Rye Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Milo Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Sorghum Hay, per bale, 10¢/lb.  
Buckwheat Hay, per



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Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World.  
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There is one remedy that seldom fails to clear away all pimples, blotches and other skin eruptions and that makes the skin soft, clear and healthy.

Any druggist can supply you with zemo, which generally overcomes all skin diseases. Acne, eczema, itch, pimples, rashes, black heads in most cases give way to zemo. Frequently, other blemishes disappear overnight. Zemo usually stops instantly. Zemo is a safe, antiseptic liquid, clean, easy to use and dependable. It costs only 25c; an extra large bottle, \$1.00. It will not stain, is not greasy or sticky and is positively safe for tender, sensitive skin.

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It Soothes and Relieves Like a Mustard Plaster Without the Burn or Sting

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with the oil of mustard. It does all the work of the old-fashioned mustard plaster, does it better and does not blister. You do not have to bother with a blister. It simply rubs it on—and usually the pain is gone!

Many doctors and nurses use Musterole and recommend it to their patients. They will gladly tell you what relief it gives from sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back and joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bitten feet, cuts of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).



## A Clear Complexion

Most every woman wants a nice, clear complexion, and can have it at a trifling cost. Constipation is a sure sign of an alarming extent, and this causes poor circulation, which accounts for yellow, muddy, pimply complexions which so many women are trying to overcome.

**Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets** is the one dependable remedy for bad complexions. They act on the liver and bowels like calomel, yet have no dangerous after-effect. They assist nature to throw off the impurities that get into the blood. They will surely clear up, even the most distressing condition quickly and tone up the entire system, giving a pure, fresh, rosy skin. They are absolutely pure—easy to take and correct constipation. They act quickly, cleanse and purify—and make you feel fine. Start treatment now. Get a box from any druggist—10c and 25c.

## PATRIOTIC SERVICE HELD AT CENTENARY

Excellent Sermon Preached by Rev. E. L. Fletcher to Matt Starr Post Members—Music Feature of Service

Old Glory certainly held the center of attraction at Centenary church Sunday morning. In graceful folds it hung from the great organ. It was draped in festoons all along the gallery and was waved by hundreds of hands in the congregation. The patriotic and superb music, the fine sermon, the presence of the veterans all tended to add to the inspiration of the occasion. Portraits of Washington and Lincoln occupied conspicuous places and all tended to show the reverence in which the memory of these great men is held. "America" was sung with a will and then the pastor, Rev. E. L. Fletcher, tendered the visiting members of Matt Starr post a cordial welcome paying them a great tribute of respect and gratitude for the part they took in the preservation of the union. His own father was a veteran who suffered from wounds all of his life, since the war and two uncles also fought under the stars and stripes and he loved all who had a right to wear the bronze button. When the organist rendered the stirring notes of the "Star Spangled Banner" the old boys instinctively rose to their feet and the remainder of the congregation followed their example.

Then the pastor announced the "Battle Hymn of the Republic" and asked all to join in the chorus and several times till the walls of the building echoed with the loud notes of praise and patriotism. Once he asked all under sixteen to sing the chorus and that too was impressive. He asked the veterans to face the audience during the hymn. Of the excellent sermon that followed only a few suggestions are given.

The speaker took for his text 2 Tim. 2:3: "A good soldier of Jesus Christ."

Looking Three Ways. This is a peculiarly patriotic service. Today we look three ways: to the past with its grand achievements and lessons; to the present contemplating our duties and obligations; and to the future with its great possibilities. We are here today to pay a tribute to the heroes of the past and teach the young lessons of patriotism. We have a priceless heritage and our duty is to see that the heaven of God's truth permeates the world and bring the greatest good. We need good soldiers, soldiers of Christ to fight the battles that must be waged.

We are here today between two notable birthdays. When we think of the past we ask what makes this country so great and desirable as a place of residence. Other lands have countless stories of all the world produces and greater populations yet how inferior to ours. What makes the difference? I see a grand arch with two noble columns and a key-

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stone finding the whole together. Nothing is equal to that.

The first column is the home. Washington and Lincoln were the extreme. The one was wealthy, aristocratic, educated and moved in the first circles of the land. The other was born in a rude cabin without even a floor. His parents were very poor and he hardly had any advantages whatever yet he rose to the very highest rank and stands the peer of Washington in the hearts of the people. Should our country get into war the mother would be behind every man who bears arms. It was the prayers and labors of the mothers which did so much in the civil war to sustain the men at the front.

The second column is the schoolhouse. There all meet on an equality and none have special privileges. The son of the rich man must be on an equality with the child of the poor and if studious they are well fitted for the battle of life. It is unfortunate that the bible has been put out of some of our schools for it should have a leading place in all places of instruction. When Gen. Sherman wanted men to repair a wrecked locomotive and run it; to reconstruct a railroad and build bridges he found men in his army equal to the occasion.

Basic Reason of Mexico's Growth. Then there must be an arch to unite these columns and that is the Christian religion. The primary reason for America's greatness is the fear of God. Washington kneeling in the snow at Valley Forge and Lincoln lying prone on his face at Washington, both pleading with the Almighty for their land; that is why our country is great. Our forefathers believed in something. A skeptic never won a battle; it is men with positive convictions that move the world. Negations never accomplished anything.

A question is never settled until it is settled right. God wants men and women who will stand for the right. America wants volunteers to stand by Christ and God, the home and the public schools. These are the bulwarks of our liberties and if they fall our land is gone. The signs of the times are propitious for the triumph of freedom and justice. The cross of Christ will draw all men to the banner of Immanuel and liberty and union, righteousness and justice will surely prevail.

The speaker then stepped down and shook hands with the veterans and requested every member of the congregation to come forward and do the same and it was done. The men who fought to preserve the union in the dark days when the land was in the throes of rebellion were the recipients of great honor.

The entire services were full of patriotism and were deeply impressive.

Notes. The large number of children in the audience was most gratifying. They paid good attention and waved their flags right vigorously when the chorus to the "Battle Hymn of the Republic" was sung. As a gracious act of courtesy Mr. Fletcher told the ushers not to present the contribution plates to the veterans as they were the honored guests of the day.

The thinning ranks of the old soldiers make one feel sad. Each year the number is less and before many years there will be none.

## LITERBERRY

The residents on East Capitol street certainly gave due honor to the late, on last Wednesday, and continued their honors through the week. First, Mrs. J. A. Literberry, of 1215 E. Capitol, opened her beautiful home to her "Golden Rule" class, and gave them a splendid dinner and a very happy day. Second, Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Hitchens, of 1215 E. Capitol, entertained the young people of both churches, on Wednesday afternoon. St. Valentine's was the topic. Third, on Wednesday night, "Shades of Naples," a pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hitchens, was illuminated, and a good looking crowd of friends were entertained to a delicious luncheon and a very enjoyable evening. Fourth, "Old Crim Homestead" was the scene of another grand good time, for a party of 100, then that Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crim entertained a house full of friends and relatives to a Monday feast and a very fine time was had by all. A birthday gathering on Friday night at "The Zepphry" in honor of the Beavers family and St. Valentine's and from the sounds of merriment, we believe they were having fun enough. The usual Literberry "rats" followed.

Our reporter tells us that O. M. Petefish passed through Literberry Friday on the eight train bound for Virginia, Case Co., and in his car was Muriel Brainer, the young man from Los Angeles, who so recently sustained injuries in an auto wreck. Mr. Petefish is expected at Literberry Friday night. He has been gone to California for about four weeks, looking after and caring for his nephew.

Mrs. Ella Metcalf, who has been visiting at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Literberry for the past few months started for her home in Bates, Mo., Friday morning.

Mrs. William Decker visited in Jacksonville with her mother, Mrs. M. E. Cook, the last of the week. Rev. E. M. Crabtree of White Hall came up Friday on church business and was entertained to supper at Bonnie Decker Cottage by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Daniels.

Dr. Crouch of Jacksonville came out Saturday to visit friends here. Word has been received from Rev. Anna C. Shively of Springfield, Mo., and she sends kind regards to all her Literberry friends.

The Literberry M. E. society met with Mrs. Ella Thompson on Wednesday afternoon. The vice president, Mrs. Mary Dinwiddie, led the meeting. The program was: Scripture reading. Several prayers by the members and friends. Some singing and a good reading. The reading was by Mrs. Mabel Clark on St. Valentine's Day, and how it originated. Some amusing contests followed and a general good time was enjoyed by all. Of course there were a lot of nice things to eat and a good offering forwarded for "The Ladies Aid" never forget to bring their money, and if they can't go, they send the dime by some other member.

AT THE OLD HOME. George S. Russell has been back for a day or two, visiting his sister, Miss Clara M. Russell, of Caldwell street, and other relatives. As is well known, Mr. Russell was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Russell.

Of late the young man has been making his home in Helena, Mont., where he has a good place in a bank, and is evidently appreciated by his employers as they gave him a vacation and increased his pay.

Mr. Russell married since going to the western capital and is settled in life. He left here on Monday.

## CELEBRATION OF EIGHTY-EIGHTH BIRTHDAY

Aunt Polly Gibson of Franklin Enjoys the Presence of Relatives and Friends

Monday one of the oldest and most highly respected residents of Franklin, Aunt Polly Gibson, happily celebrated her 88th birthday with 23 relatives and friends gathered in the home of her dutiful daughter, Mrs. W. P. Six, who has dutifully cared for her aged parent for three years.

Polly Davidson was born in Alabama, Feb. 19, 1829, and when a small child was brought by her parents to this state. They settled in Macoupin county where the children were reared. They later removed to Morgan county and when she was married to John M. Gibson she and her husband settled on a farm in the neighborhood of Nortonville where their children were mostly born and later they moved to the vicinity of Franklin. Her husband died 23 years ago and for twenty years she lived in this city but failing health compelled her to give up the home she much preferred to have as is the case with so many old people, and go to her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Six of Franklin, where she has received all that love and devotion could suggest.

For a long time she has been delicate and obliged to remain in bed but with all her disabilities she was able to enjoy the celebration of her birthday to a very good degree as children, grandchildren and great grandchildren were present to make merry on the occasion. A fine dinner, brought by daughters and daughters-in-law, well prepared and served, was enjoyed at noon and the day was spent in a manner calculated to make the dear old lady feel that though an invalid she is much beloved. As the day waned the guests departed with many expressions of love and devotion very gratifying to Aunt Polly.

There were present Mrs. Phoebe Cole of Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carlson and John Gibson of Jacksonville, Albert D. Gibson of Franklin, J. W. Gibson of Murrayville, R. V. Gibson residing southeast of Jacksonville, Mrs. J. W. Moon of Jacksonville and Mrs. Six, five of her six children, the absent one being Mrs. E. O. Mansfield who was in Chicago and unable to be present. Mrs. James Tribble and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bland of Franklin were also present. Mrs. Bland is a daughter of Mrs. Six and her children represented the fourth generation.

## MANCHESTER

Mrs. Carrie Deatherage of Waverly is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. S. A. Wilson.

Roy Curtis was a Jacksonville visitor Thursday.

Mrs. E. E. Rousey spent Thursday and Friday in Murrayville with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Neal. Mr. Neal has been in a critical condition for some time and continues to grow weaker.

Dorothy and Lela Murray of White Hall are visiting with their grandmother, Mrs. Josephine Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyer of Waverly were Manchester visitors Thursday. They expect to locate here in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas spent Thursday in Jacksonville.

Mrs. William Welch of Paducah visited her mother, Mrs. John Lawson Friday.

Chas. S. Heator has installed electric lights in his hardware store.

Gray Brown went to Jacksonville Friday evening where he was treated by Dr. Adams for an eye affliction.

Mrs. James Overton of Winchester is visiting her mother, Emily Hayes.

Edna Beebe of Wrights is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Carrie Simmons.

FAMOUS PATH NEARS 75TH MILESTONE

London, Feb. 19—Adeline, rattle, in private life the Baroness Cedersstrom, entered upon her seventy-fifth year today, having been born in Madrid, Feb. 19, 1842. The famous singer whose voice held the world enthralled for so many years is reported to be in excellent health. On several occasions during the last three years she has appeared in public for the benefit of one or another of the war relief funds.

E. S. Travis of Peoria was a caller on city friends yesterday.

## MINING ENGINEERS CONVENE IN NEW YORK

Subjects of Importance to be Discussed at Sessions—Large Annual Importation of Manganese from Brazil is Shown.

New York, Feb. 19—Several hundred mining engineers from practically every section of the country met here today for the 114th convention of the American Institute of Mining Engineers. Sessions will continue throughout four days and subjects of great importance to the American mining world are on the program for discussion.

The indebtedness of the United States to Brazil for its supply of manganese ores since the outbreak of the European war was pointed out in the course of today's proceedings by Dr. Joseph T. Singewald, Jr., and Dr. Benjamin Le Roy Miller. It was stated that manganese is one of the few industrially important metals that are not produced in the United States in quantity commensurate with the needs, and that there is now being imported about 300,000 tons annually.

In a year's time Brazil's share of the manganese importation jumped from two-fifths to nine-tenths of the total. Prior to the war India and Russia furnished the greater part of the American supply.

Today's morning sessions were on the general subject of geology and metallurgy. Special features were a paper on the recent geologic developments on the Mesabi Iron Range, Minnesota, by J. W. Nodoff and papers on Grain Growth Phenomena in Metals by Zay Jeffries, and Dr. Henry M. Howe.

## PLAN LIFT OF SHOW

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 19—Chicago today became the mecca for owners and managers of travelling circuses and outdoor carnival and fair exhibitions from all parts of the country. The occasion of the gathering is the first annual convention of the Association of Outdoor Showmen of the World, which was organized in New York last December. The announced purpose of the association is to weed out unscrupulous showmen, create and correct legislation in their behalf and uplift conditions generally in the show business.

WOMEN TOO AMBITIOUS. Excessive ambition leads all sorts of women to exert themselves beyond their strength. The girl striving for honors in school, the busy housewife, the shop-girl, the society climber or leader, all overtax their natural powers of endurance. Then come nervous troubles, backaches, headaches, frequently organic troubles, which reduce them almost to despair.

Women suffering thus should first recognize the necessity of putting on the brakes and slowing down. Besides this, to remedy the mischief already done to their health, the best reliance is upon that famous and standard medicine for women's ailments, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.—Adv.

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